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# Jikuu Mahou de Isekai to Chikyuu wo Ittarikitari

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## Chapter 288: Office worker? Interpreter?

First day of the week, Monday.

When I went to the office, I was called by the director.

"Director, what can I do for you?"

"Sorry for calling you first thing in the morning.

Actually, I'd like you to request for the[requirements definition]of the system development for the Nancy Jewelry Tokyo Store, but is it fine?"

"Yes, it's fine."

The[Requirements definition], huh. It means I'll inquire about their request for what kind of system they'd like to be developed and put them all together.

"Then, let's set up a meeting....."

"Well, yeah, actually, now that you mention it, it seems she won't be able to come, too."

"What do you mean?"

"Nancy-san seems to be busy with various things so we won't be able to set up a meeting easily.

I'm sorry, but to proceed from this point, we will have to ask you to talk over there."

"Understood."

Busy?

But we were sightseeing in Japan just the other day.

For the time being, I went to the Nancy • Jewelry Tokyo Store where Nancy was.

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The Nancy Jewelry • Tokyo Store was located at first-class district, Ginza.

"Hae~, they opened a shop in a wonderful place, huh~."

I went through the entry formalities at the back entrance and entered inside.

When I entered inside the office, Nancy was doing the office work by herself.  
Hm? What happened to mama-san?

"Hello, Nancy."

"Ah, Seiji, I'm sorry for making you come here expressly."

"Are you doing the office work alone?

What about mama-san?"

"Mama.....

is visiting various Macho • koba to observe."

"Macho • koba?? What's that?"

"They seem to be metalworking companies of small to medium enterprises doing business in[Shitamachi]."

"Ah, it's[Machikouba[1]], huh!

Still, why is mama-san observing machikoubas?"

"She thinks that she will find out the secret of Seiji's metalworking in the machikoubas and said she will study it."

"I see."

She seems to be serious in making that accessory without asking for my help.

"By the way, I've come to talk about the matter of the system development, is it fine?"

"Ah, that matter, huh.

The system that is being used in the U.S have to be translated in Japanese in order for the Japanese employees to use from now on.

It will be easy if it's you, right?"

I see, such a recognition, huh.

Then, it's a job of an SE from here.

"What about its compatibility with the Japanese data?"

"What's that?"

"The English alphabet has 26 letters, even if we separate the upper and lower case letters, there are only 52 letters, right?"

On the other hand, the Japanese has hiragana • katakana and then, there's even kanji; there are more than 2, 000 characters that are commonly used with kanji alone.

It's necessary to re-develop the system to deal with that."

"Is that so, it's not so easy, huh."

After that, we talked about the matter of the system development and I was able to somehow compile the requirements definition.

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"It's necessary to show this to mama-san afterwards to get her authorization, but.....

when is she going to return?"

"Well, yes, actually, now that you mention it, she only visits various machikoubas and hasn't returned home at all.....

so I'm in trouble because the office work piled up."

"Didn't you hire someone who does the paperwork?"

"Anyhow, it was sudden~.

I haven't got the means to go around that far yet.

Seiji, will you help me?"

"Wait a moment, I will get a confirmation from the company."

When I called the director and explained the circumstances,  
the director gladly approved.

Well, she's an important business partner.

I often heard that it's troublesome to be asked for help by the business client  
in the society, but.....

Well, I got the director's permission, so it's particularly fine, right?

"The director allowed me to help."

"Thank you, I'm saved."

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I only help with the IT paperwork at the beginning, but I, who is good at both  
English and Japanese, can easily find mistakes on the documents  
using【Information Magic】.

With this and that, I was able to help with the documents other than the IT's  
with a considerable quantity, too.

"Seiji, you are really excellent, huh."

"To some extent."

"Won't you resign as an SE and become our office worker?"

"I'll consider it if I get fired as an SE."

When we proceeded with the work while talking about such a thing,  
I found a document which was written in neither Japanese nor English.

"Nancy, what's this document?"

"I don't know."

"You don't know, you say. Aren't you the manager here, Nancy?"

"Mama seems to be doing something,  
but I can't read that document."

Let's try to use【Language Acquisition】.....

somehow or other, it seems to be a language called[Dzongkha],  
I'll try to acquire it for the time being.

"Let me see, it seems to be a document about the import of the nullpo  
stones."

"Eh? Seiji, you can read it?"

"Well, I must admit..."

"Why don't you resign as an SE and become an interpreter?"

"I'll consider it if I get fired as an SE."

Somehow or other, the[Nullpo stones]seems to be something produced  
in[Bhutan].

When you say Bhutan, that country of happiness?

Is the[Nullpo stone]mined in that country?

Bhutan, huh.....

I'd like to go there once.



Nevertheless, isn't this document a[company secret]or something like that?

Is their information security alright?

There may be differences in degrees of enthusiasm, commitment, interest, etc on that area between IT companies and companies of other type of industry.

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"Thanks to Seiji, the documents that piled up were considerably put in order.

Thank you."

"It's good that I could help."

When Nancy and I were shaking hands.....

*Batan!*

The room's door was vigorously opened

and mama-san entered.

"Oh my! Nancy has a secret date with Seiji, huh~."

"Welcome home, mama.

Because mama wasn't here, Seiji helped me with the delayed paperwork."

"Aah, is that so."

Well, she understands from the beginning and just obviously making fun of us.

"Other than such a thing, listen Nancy!"

"What is it?"

"The Japanese[Macho • koba]is amazing!!"

"Mama, it's[Machikouba]when said, you know?"

Nancy was also wrong a little while ago, though.

"Just you watch, Seiji!

Since I joined hands with[Macho • koba], I will show you that I will make a jewelry that won't be defeated by you!"

Somehow, it feels like it became a confrontation with a rival,  
is my profession really an SE?

Translator's notes:

[1]a small factory in town; backstreet (small) workshop.

## Chapter 289: Tea and teacakes

When I finished helping Nancy and went back home.....

Aya was studying!

"I'm home.

It's rare that Aya is studying."

"What!?"

Even I at least study."

Well, it's going to be her first final examination this time after getting into junior college,  
even Aya, at the least, will study.

However, there seems to be another reason why Aya is studying.

Elena and Hilda are studying together, too.

As the onee-san, it seems she can't afford to be lazy alone when the two younger people are studying.

"Elena and Hilda, what are you studying?"

"I'm studying about[Fire]."

The only magic that Elena wasn't able to learn are [Fire] and [Darkness] and since she doesn't properly know yet what she should be studying for Darkness, she is studying in order to learn Fire first.

"Me, it's [Physical Education]!"

Hilda is studying physical education!?

It can't be.....a man and a woman [REDACTED].....

It wasn't that kind of study that I said, it was probably a scientific study about nourishment, or energy, or muscle that seemed to be related to [Body Reinforcement Magic].

Ah, I was surprised.

In order to not interfere with everyone's study,

I went out to play in [Tower of Sunrise] for a bit.

Although I said that, I'm not going to capture it, but I'm just going to look for enemies that meet the conditions of the trial of the White Belt Sword and kill them.

For nearly an hour, I was able to clear all the trials objectives.

I have to take it to Masamune-san next time.

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The next day, I went to Nancy's place again to help.

Somehow, it seems Nancy's mama spends all her time at[Macho•koba]...no, at[machikouba]and shifts all the work to Nancy.

In spite of being the president, what is she really doing.

With this and that, when Nancy and I—just the two of us—were working.....

"Hello.....-! Seiji-san!"

Ringo came for a visit.

"Ah, Maruyama. Why are you here?"

Together with Ringo, Megumi-chan came, too.

"I'm helping Nancy with her work.

Other than such a thing, what happened for the two of you to be together?"

"I only ran into Megumi-chan at the entrance.

Because I made a new design, I've come to show it to Jennifer-san, but.....

Jennifer-san isn't here?"

Jennife...aah, it's mama-san, huh.

Because I always called her mama-san, I forgot her name.

"Mama-san have gone to the macho's place."

"Macho!?"

"Well, since she will come back soon, why don't you wait for her?"

"Eh, eeh.....macho??"

Somehow or other, Ringo's head seems to have been filled with machos.

"So, what seems to be your business, Megumi-chan?"

"It's to make arrangements for the modeling activity, it has nothing to do with you!"

Although it has nothing to do with me, you still properly told it to me.

[Nancy, Megumi-chan came to make arrangements, what should be done?]

[Please wait a moment, I will just put these documents in order.]

"So, wait with Ringo,

I'm going to prepare a tea.]

"Humph, I don't want tea,

but only[orange juice]!"

"Yes."

In about 0.5 second, I quickly held out the orange juice in front of Megumi-chan.



"Eh?

W-, Where did you take it from just now?"

"I prepared it because I thought that Megumi-chan would like to drink it."

Well, I took it out from the inventory, though.

"Well.....

f-, fine."

The top of Megumi-chan's head was full of[question marks].

"D-, Delicious.....

It's nicely cold....."

"I'm glad that you like it."

".....humph,

we-, well, you may praise it a little."

"Thank you."

When I pleasantly smiled,

Megumi-chan,

with a[humph], suddenly looked the other way.

"Don't be full of yourself with just the orange juice!

Not just drinks, but prepare confections, too!

You aren't sensible, huh."

"Yes."

I took out a confection in 0.5 second again and put it before Megumi-chan.

"Fa-!?"

"It's a Japanese sweet of an old, Japanese-style confectionery shop in the neighborhood, but it's delicious."

Well, it was taken out of the inventory again, though.

When Megumi-chan took a bite of the Japanese sweet,  
her expression suddenly crumbled with *kunya* and she smiled with great relish.

C-, Cutee.....

"Wa-!?"

Megumi-chan suddenly came to herself  
and her expression returned to her usual stiff facial expression.

Is she embarrassed that her smiling face is seen?

"I-, It's so-so....."

Megumi-chan fills her mouth with the Japanese sweet with her expression

still stiff.

Your expression and behavior are inconsistent, you know?

Before I knew it, Ringo was looking at the appearance of Megumi-chan, too.

Somehow or other, she seemed to have been looking at Megumi-chan with the same feeling as me.

While smiling, the two of us—Ringo and I—observed the appearance of the cute Megumi-chan, who filled her mouth with Japanese sweet with great relish and stiff expression.

## Chapter 290: The Four Interviewers

That week, I kept going to Nancy Jewelry making arrangements.

Somehow or other, the Nancy Jewelry seemed to be using the system that our company developed.

Because the developer is in the America head office, he doesn't have knowledge about Japanese language, and Japanese law and tax and it seems he left the decision over the Japanese shop's system to someone else.

And then, Friday afternoon of that week.

When I went to help Nancy again,

Nancy was cleaning the office which had been left untidy until now.

"Nancy, I've come.

You suddenly start tidying up, what happened?"

"I have an interview today."

"Interview?"

"We found people who would like to work quickly."

"I see,

then, should I help you in making arrangements and with the paperwork again next time?"

"At any rate, please help me with the[interview]."

"Eh!?"

"Since Seiji can speak both English and Japanese, you'll save me the trouble if you're there~."

Oi oi, don't let someone from another company be present at the company's interview.

Well, I understand since mama-san isn't here and you don't have enough manpower.

Somehow or other, it seems to be something called Nancy Jewelry's opening staff's first group interview.

While having me to help with the paperworks and etcetera at first, she seems to be planning to have me work like a chief in the future.

Isn't it a considerably important interview.....

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When I help her to clean until the scheduled time of the interview,  
Ringo and Megumi-chan came as usual.

These two people always drop by to play with this and that as the reason, huh~.

"I'll work as an interviewer, too!

At the same time, make Ringo an interviewer, too!"

Megumi-chan said such a thing.

"Me, too?"

Even Ringo appears to be bewildered when such a sudden and strange subject is brought up.

However, were these two people that close?

Megumi-chan addresses Ringo without honorifics.

With this and that, it was decided that the four of us—Nancy, Ringo, Megumi-chan and I—are going to work as the interviewers.

It's going to be difficult for the interviewee, too.....

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It was time and the four interviewee gathered.

However, I'm very interested in one particular person out of the four people~.

"Well then, the first person,[Tomifu Kasumi]-san, please come in."

Why am I the one managing everything by myself?

"Excuse~ me."

[Hello, to which extent can you speak English?]

[Uhh, because I've lived in the United States before~, I can converse normally~.]



This Tomifu Kasumi-san is proficient in English to the extent of being able to answer Nancy's question.....but she seems to be lacking a little in seriousness.

[What is your reason for applying to this job?]

Megumi-chan asks her a question in a proud manner.

[Let me see~, because it's a short-distance commute to work?]

Megumi-chan seems to be glad that an adult answered her question and nods joyfully.

Megumi-chan.....don't you have to tsukkomi when you heard such a strange answer!?

[Do you like jewelry?]

Ringo asks the question this time.

[Some time ago~ I bought a jewelry when I was traveling abroad~  
it was practically fake~ I was so mad!]

Is this person alright.....?

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"Then, next,[Mizutani Mio]-san, please enter."

"Ye~s."

With only her reply, the unpleasant premonition is throbbing.

However, looking at this person, her breasts are amazing, even I will get har.....no, it's nothing.

"[Mizutani Mio]de~su. Please treat me well."

Why are you facing towards me when saying that?

[I'm sorry, but since the manager, Nancy, doesn't speak Japanese, speak in English please.]

[Ah, ye~s.

It's "Mizutani Mio"~. Please treat me well.]

The words are in English, but.....

Somehow, she's making eyes at me.

I think if you want to curry favor, look towards Nancy.

[What's your reason for applying to this job?]

Does Megumi-chan only have that question?

[If it's a luxurious jewelry shop like this place, I think I may be able to meet a rich person.]

I'm not going to retort~!

[Do you like jewelry?]

Even Ringo only has one kind of question, huh.

[I like getting one.

But, since my ex-boyfriend gave me something which was in a branded box, I had high expectations, however, when I opened it, it was a cheap ring, so I sold it to a pawnshop, but then my boyfriend got mad.]

I will probably lose if I retort.....

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"Then, next is[Tsuchiya Renge]-san, please come in."

"Y-, Yes."

Tsuchiya Renge-san was someone who seemed to be a little chubby.

[It's Tsuchiya Renge.

I can speak English a little. Please treat me well.]

Finally, someone who seems to be serious.

[What's your reason for applying to this job?]

Megumi-chan, did you prepare only that question?

[U-, Uhh.....

I'm sorry, could you say it again?]

Umu,

I have expectations because it's someone who seems to be serious, but.....

I think that this person isn't that much good at English.

It's going to be a little hard if it's the case since Nancy can only speak English.

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"Then, the last one,[Hiyama Ai]-san, please come in."

[Excuse me.

I'm "Hiyama Ai", please treat me well.]

The last person seems to be serious and her English is perfect, too.

[What's your reason for applying to this job.]

In the end, Megumi-chan faced them with only this one question, huh.

[I like the Nancy Jewelry's jewelry very much,  
particularly, the ○○ which was released last year.....]

She began to talk about Nancy Jewelry's products.

We found out that she has a profound understanding about Nancy Jewelry.

With this and that, the interview of the four people was over.

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[Seiji, Ringo, Megumi, how was the interview?  
Let me hear your thoughts.]

[I think that the last person is good.]

Ringo's opinion is reasonable.

[I think so, too. That last person is very good.]

Megumi-chan says so, too.

Well, if you think about it normally, the best and correct choice is to choose that person.

But, with that person,  
there's a fatal problem.

To that person.....

the【Vigilance】magic indicates[caution]~.

## Chapter 291: Gold

After the four people who had an interview left,  
we held a briefing session.

"This means, Megumi and Ringo think that the last person is good?"

"Yes."

"My[ability to judge character]is accurate."

Well, Megumi-chan's[ability to judge character]isn't accurate, though.....

"Look, Nancy,

it's better to give that last person a miss."

"Why?"

That person seems to be most excellent one, right?"

"Well, that's right, but....."

Umu, it's hard to explain.

She hasn't done anything yet.....

If I'm forced to say something, it would only be to the extent that the name,  
[Hiyama Ai], is a[false name].

However, I won't be able to answer if they were to ask me how I know that  
it's a false name~.



"Seiji, I didn't think that you would object~.

Well, for the time being, let's hire all of them."

"Eh?

Aren't we supposed to choose 1 amongst the 4!?"

"Well, the manpower isn't enough at all."

Since Nancy has the final decision, I can't say it somehow or other.

However, I'm worried.

The dangerous person who took the interview using a false name,  
we don't know what she's up to.

For the time being, I put a【Tracking beacon】on[Hiyama Ai],

but to be safe, I put【Tracking beacons】on Ringo and Megumi-chan, too.

Ah, while I'm at it, I will also put one on mama-san, too.

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While Nancy and the others were chatting at the[tea party]—held on the pretext of[briefing session]—I was secretly peeking into the situation of[Hiyama Ai]through the beacon.

[Hiyama Ai]was cautiously and restlessly looking around and she secretly entered an accessory shop called[Arc・Gold[1]]from the back entrance.

Is this person someone from another accessory shop

and is plotting something like that of an industrial spy?

[Gold-sama, I've come.]

Gold?

He's called with[sama], so that means this fellow is the boss?

Since they are talking in English, he's probably not Japanese.

[How's the situation of Nancy • Jewelry?]

The conversation partner was an ossan with an asian-ish villain expression and he was wearing a jingling, bad-preference gold accessory.

[It was easy, they only had Nancy, 2 children, and an interpreter;  
They completely trusted me.]

She thought that I was an interpreter, huh.

[I see, I see,  
check properly the information I told you about, got it?]  
[Leave it to me!]

They sneak in to check some kind of information, huh.

[Arc • Gold], what on Earth are these fellows?

"Nancy, it's an abrupt question to ask,

but do you know the[Arc • Gold]?"

"I didn't think that I would hear that name from your mouth, Seiji.

You're fairly knowledgeable about accessory, huh?"

"It's not like that at all, I just happened to hear a little."

"Oh well,

[Arc • Gold]is a jewelry brand which grew rapidly in the United States recently, but....."

"But?"

"When I asked mama, she said that it's not that sort of jewelry."

Well, such a flashy, bad-preference ornament, it'll also be rated low as a jewelry.

Or so I thought, but.....

"That is[money wear],

they use it as a countermeasure against tax."

"Money wear?"

According to Nancy's story,

It's said that the company does a Las Vegas show business and turned most of their profits to[money wear]not cash.

Why do they do something like that?

It's said that if, for a dancer, an accessory is a part of one's tool of trade, then the[money wear]is calculated as an[expense].

If all the profitable balance is calculated as[expenses], the profitable balance endlessly nears 0.

It seems that because of that, they don't really have to pay tax.

Moreover, since the[Money wear]consumes gold lavishly and the value of itself is gold, if you smash it and turn it back into gold, it can be converted into money at the amount close to its original cost.

"Such a thing, isn't it simply a tax evasion?"

"Well, that's right,

but they have made necessary preparations at various places from behind the scenes and do something wonderfully at the last moment...it seems."

I see, those guys are like that, huh.

"By the way, Nancy.

Mama-san speaks ill of them like that, so that means, the[Nancy Jewelry]and[Arc • Gold]are on bad terms with each other?"

"Oh well, we are probably on bad terms with each other.

After interfering with each other many times over, mama and the president over there are having a huge fight each time.

Ah, come to think of it, it seems the[Arc • Gold]'s president have come to Japan right now."

The president have personally come to man the ship, huh.  
That flashy ossan is probably the president of[Arc▪Gold].

"I'll go to the restroom for a bit."

I went inside the toilet stall,  
transformed myself into a ninja man,  
became invisible using【Transparencification】of【Light Magic】  
and then used【Teleportation】to where Hiyama Ai was.

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[Iyaan, you're lewd, Gold-sama~.]

[Come on, come on, guhehehe~]

Uwa, I encountered them at an unpleasant place.....

Since I've become transparent, so naturally, they haven't noticed me.

Although I decided not to look at the strange scene that much,  
I put a【tracking beacon】on the[Gold]'s boss.

Translator's notes:

[1]This 'gold' is written in katakana, 'Gorudo' and I've translated it as 'aurum' in the past chapters, so whether they're connected/one or not, I still don't know yet. I'll leave it as gold for now.

## Chapter 292: Personal Information Protection Law

On the weekend, Elena, Hilda and I went to capture the Tower of Sunrise.

From the thirty-seventh floor, the succeeding floors were icebound cold floors.

The enemies had become considerably high-ranked, so we couldn't advance easily as before and were only able to advance up to the forty-fourth floor in the two days of the weekend.

As for the level of the three of us, mine went up from 50→52, Elena's from 42→46, Hilda's from 35→42.

Aya was frustrated as her level has been completely surpassed by Hilda. She was frustrated.

And, the best news was Hilda's Fire magic reached level 5.

Hilda acquires a new magic that causes a huge explosion,

I had her use it once,

a group of strong enemies was annihilated by the explosion and with a *zun*, the shockwave had affected us, too.

We named that magic,[Hilda's zun].

And, on the way back, I dropped by at Masamune's place and left the White Belt Sword.

It seems that the further strengthening of the White Belt Sword can be completed in three days.

As usual, he's a fast worker.

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On Monday of the next week,  
When I went to Nancy's place in the morning,  
Megumi-chan was there.

"Megumi-chan, what happened for you to be here in the morning?  
What about your school?"

"Maruyama, too, is quite stupid, huh.  
High schools are already in summer vacation."

She has a sharp tongue as ever.  
Well, it's cute when compared to Aya's.

Uuuuuuuu—!!

When we were having such a conversation, from the inner part of the room,  
a loud siren sound could be heard.

"Maruyama, what is it?"  
"Ahh, it's alright."

I smiled pleasantly to calm Megumi-chan down  
and slowly went inside the inner part of the room.

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"Hiyama Ai-san, what are you doing?"

It was the panicked[Hiyama Ai]who was in the inner part of the room.  
Well, since I was looking at the beacons' video,  
I knew what she was doing in this room, though.

"Seiji, what is it?"

Nancy came rushing in, too.

"N-Nancy-san, I'm not doing anything....."

I grabbed the right hand of the trembling[Hiyama Ai]  
and took away the USB memory she was holding.

"Ai-san, what is this USB memory?"

"T-, That is.....

Err.....

Since there's a useful app, I was installing it in this PC....."

"It's no good, Ai-san.



Since this PC contains the costumers' information,  
by the effect of the Personal Information Protection Law, it's prohibited to  
insert a USB memory and also to install an application.

Haven't you heard it from Nancy?"

"I-, I'm sorry,  
I forgot....."

As I suspected, it's certainly clear that Ai-san is intending to steal various  
information.

"What will you do, Nancy?"

"Well, anyone can make a mistake,  
be careful from now on."

"Y-, Yes....."

She forgives her, huh!

Well, she's playing innocent with[I didn't mean any harm], so it can't be  
helped for now.

"That reminds me, what about the other people who took the interview?"

"It has been decided that all four people are going to work,  
but since it turned out that Hiyama Ai are the only one who can work on the  
same day, I have her come earlier."

"I see~."

Such[Ai-san]seems to be sorry.

But her eyes are full of anger.

Ah, scary, scary.

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"I'm sorry for what happened just now.

Here you go, it's a tea."

[Ai-san]served tea just to redeem herself.

"Ah, since I'm not thirsty,  
can you drink it instead, Ai-san."

"Eh!? B-, But....."

"Since it's a waste of tea which you served with much effort,  
please drink it in one go without reserve."

"W-, Well then.....

I-, Itadakimasu.....

ough....."

"Ough?"

"N-, Nothing, it's.....delicious."

Aaah, she drank a tea containing a dust-cloth extract.

Engacho~.[1]

Well, because I was looking at the beacon,  
I saw that she squeezed the juice of the dust cloth into the tea.

"Excuse me for a moment."

[Ai-san]left while carrying the half-drunk teacup.

[Uge!

I absolutely won't forgive that fellow!!]

While vomiting in the restroom,

[Ai-san]poured the tea with dust-cloth extract into the washbasin  
and revealed her anger towards me.

I wonder if I'm somewhat cruel?

But, it can't be helped since it's the other party who set it all up, right?

In the end, that day,

I stayed at Nancy's place all day long in order to look out for[Ai-san].

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"Pardon me for leaving first."

[Ai-san]went home, so I can finally go home, too.

Although you said that, you're going to perform an ambush outside, isn't that  
right,[Ai-san]?

Megumi-chan went home earlier, who are you aiming for?

It was me.

When I left the shop,[Ai-san]followed me secretly.

"Well then, since I have insufficient exercise recently, let's go home while running a marathon~."

I murmured a forced monologue and began to run.

[Ai-san]followed for a while,  
when I gradually picked up speed,  
while saying 'whaa whaa', on the way, her pumps came off and she grazed her knees.

[Damn it!! What is that fellow!!?]

[Ai-san]went back home in frustration while stomping her foot on the ground.

Translator's notes:

[1][Engacho](#).

## Chapter 293: Manager

*Whip!*

[Hii! I'm sorry.]

[Ai-san]was lashed with a whip  
by the you-know-who, Gold.

What are these fellows doing, you ask?

[Even though I said that a failure like that isn't allowed!]

*Whip!*

[Hii! I-, I'm sorry!

B-, But..... that interpreter's guard is tight.]

I'm not an interpreter, though.

[The interpreter and the likes doesn't matter!

Other than that, how was the investigation of the two children turned up?]

[Yes, that one is perfect.

The one, who called Ringo or something like that, is a designer.

The other one, who called Megumi, is an exclusive model.]

[I see, I see,

I'll dispatch another person to approach those two.]

[How do you plan to remove those two?]

[It has nothing to do with you!]

[Y-, Yes, I'm sorry.]

This can't be ignored, huh.

I have to come up with something to deal with it.....

*Whip!*

[Hii!]

And then, for a short while,

[Ai-san]and[Gold],

did something abnormal without holding anything back.....

Let's stop watching them already.....

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"What to do."

I pondered in the living room.

Ringo, similar to Aya, has exams this week and their summer vacation will start from next week, while Megumi-chan's summer vacation has started this week.

Since I have work, there's a lot of time when I can't move during the day.

And now, the ones who need to be guarded are

Nancy, Ringo, Megumi-chan, and while we're at it, Nancy's mom.

No matter how much I think about it, we're short in manpower.

"Seiji-sama, is there something wrong?"

"Seiji-onii-chan, what's wrong?"

Elena and Hilda approached me, who was lost in thought, worryingly.

"Actually.....

Nancy, Ringo and Megumi-chan are probably being targeted by bad guys."

"That's terrible!!"

"What should we do?"

"I plan to protect them as much as possible,

but when it's working hours, I'll probably be unable to move at all.

Aya is having exams, too."

"Then, I will help."

"Yes, I will help, too."

Elena and Hilda said so,

but is it fine to involve the two.....?

Well, the two are high-leveled after me, but first of all, I wonder if I should rely on their ability.

"Then I'll ask you two."

""Yes!""

That said,

Elena will guard Ringo,

Hilda will guard Megumi-chan,

and I will guard Nancy.

As for Nancy's mom, there's no choice but to somehow make do with just the【Tracking beacon】for now.

Well, it's a secret for everyone who needs to be guarded.

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The next morning, I, along with Elena and Hilda,

went to Nancy's place.

"Good morning, Seiji.

Hm? What's the matter with Elena and Hilda?"

"Elena and Hilda said that they would like to help Ringo and Megumi-chan, isn't it fine?"



"Ah, no problem."

When we were having such a talk, Megumi-chan arrived.

"Maruyama, what are you doing letting outsiders in without permission!"

"I was given permission by Nancy just now.

Megumi-chan knows Elena and Hilda, right?"

"I met them at the party last time,  
but what's the matter with these two?"

"Hilda."

"Yes."

Hilda stepped forward in front of Megumi-chan  
and bowed.

"Megumi-chan, since you are also starting to become active as a model and has joined the ranks of celebrity, I think it's better to have, at least, a manager, right?"

I brought Hilda since she said that she would like to become Megumi-chan's manager."

"Joined the ranks of the people in the entertainment industry! A manager for me!?"

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W-, Well, good.

I'll let you be my manager.

Thank you."

"Yes!"

Hilda answered obediently  
and went next to Megumi-chan.

"I'll take your luggage."

"U-, Un."

Megumi-chan happily handed her luggage over to Hilda while being a little puzzled.

She seems to be glad that she has gotten herself a manager.

Hilda worked as a servant before, being a manager is her specialty, too.

Megumi-chan has Hilda to serve tea and relaxes.

Or rather, what did you come here to do, Megumi-chan?

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Ringo also arrived after a short while, too.

"Hello, ah, Elena-chan and Hilda-chan."

I said the same explanation as the one a little while ago towards Ringo.

"Elena-chan is going to be my manager, you say!?"

Is it fine to have you do such a thing?"

"Ringo, too, is starting to become active as a designer,  
are you going to come here personally even during the exam period?  
Elena said that she would like to help, too."

"Yes, I would like to help Ringo-san, too."

"Well then...I'll accept your kind offer~."

"Yes!"

With this and that, Elena and Hilda are going to work as the two people's  
manager for a while.

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"It's about time."

Megumi-chan stands up from the sofa.

"Are you going somewhere?"

"It's dance lesson after this."

Hou, she is taking such lesson, huh.

"Are you going to come as well, Hilda?"

"Yes, of course!"

"Hilda, I leave Megumi-chan to you."

"Yes, please leave her to me."

Thus, Megumi-chan and Hilda left for the dance lesson.

I properly checked the situation of the two people, who left, using【Tracking beacon】.

The two people happily walked downtown hand in hand.

## Chapter 294: Idol's heart

I was peeking into Megumi-chan and Hilda going to the dance lesson using【Tracking beacon】.

"That reminds me, Hilda. What country are you from?"

"Uhh, it's Delaidos kingdom."

Oi, Hilda! You mustn't talk!

"Delaidos Kingdom.....

Uhh.....

E-, Eh. O-, Of course, I know it!"

Megumi-chan, there's also a limit in pretending to know.

While having such a talk, the two people arrived at the place of the dance lesson.

"I receive dance lessons here."

"Amazing!"

A big mirror in a big room.

Since there aren't any other people, it's probably reserved.

"So, anyway, would you like to take the dance lesson together, too?"

"Is it fine?"

"An additional person wouldn't be a problem in particular, I'll tell sensei. Since I have a spare practice outfit, it's fine for you to use it."

"Thank you!"

The two people went into the locker room,  
the video of the【Tracking beacon】was temporarily cut off accordingly.

When the video went back on, it was in the situation where the lesson's sensei arrived.

"Sensei, can this girl also take the lesson together with me?  
If an additional charge is necessary, I'll tell ojii-chan."

Somehow or other, the president seems to be paying the lesson fee.

"I don't particularly mind."

The sensei seemed to be someone gentle and gladly approved.

"Well then, both of you, do your best!"

""Yes.""

Megumi-chan had been taking the lesson for some time, so her movements looked good.

Hilda, too, was awkward at first, but she immediately understood the trick and her movements gradually improved.

"Hilda, even though it's your first time, you have talent, huh!"

"Ehehe."

Well, since her status is rising considerably by leveling up, she should be able to do it considerably like a specification.

After that, for a short time,  
Hilda danced happily,  
while Megumi-chan tried her best undauntedly;  
I thoroughly enjoyed the dance of the two people.

No, it was a splendid dance that even if I have to pay money, I still would like to watch.

"That's enough for today, you two.

Megumi-chan, today was skillful than usual.

It might be the influence of taking the lesson together with Hilda-chan.

Hilda-chan, too, please drop in again anytime."

"Yes! Thank you."

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After the dance lesson, the two people board a train and went to another place again.

"Megumi-san, where are we going next?"

"It's[voice lesson]next."

Hou, she's even taking a voice lesson, huh.

So it's surprisingly genuine.

"Are you going to sing a song!?"

I'm looking forward to it~."

"Hilda, do you like songs?"

"Yes, I love it."

"Is that so.....

Then, let's take the lesson together again."

"Yes!"

The two people went to the next place happily.

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"Hilda-chan, I'm sorry, but let's do it again next time."

"Y-, Yes....."

Hilda has been declined by the sensei of the voice lesson.

The reason why is.....

Hilda was a tone-deaf.....



No, no, I think it was a good song?

The pitch only slipped a liiiittle, just a little,  
she sang so happily,  
and heartwarminglly, it was a good song.

Well, it can't be helped since Megumi-chan's lesson is the main this time.

However, Hilda dejectedly dropped her shoulders,  
she sat down at the corner of the lesson room with her head hang low.

Megumi-chan looked at Hilda anxiously, too.

"Well then, let's continue the lesson."

"Yes."

Megumi-chan's lesson resumed.

As Megumi-chan's lesson went on for a while,  
Hilda gradually regained her spirit.

It's because of Megumi-chan singing in order to cheer Hilda up while smiling at her.

Hilda, hearing Megumi-chan's song, regains her spirit steadily.

And then, the situation of Hilda listening to Megumi-chan's song happily,  
has conversely a good effect on Megumi-chan, too.

Megumi-chan sings to cheer Hilda up.

And then, seeing the happy face of Hilda, Megumi-chan becomes spirited herself, too.....

Megumi-chan seems to have something called[Idol's heart].

"Well then, that's it for today's lesson.

It seemed quite good today."

"Thank you."

It seemed to have been quite a good lesson,

Megumi-chan and Hilda left the voice lesson's classroom with faces full of smiles.

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"Hey, Hilda,

would you like to come by at my house after this?"

"Megumi-san's house!?"

I would like to go!"

"Since there's a sound-proof room in my house, I'll listen to Hilda's song."

"My...song...is it?"

B-, But....."

"Anyone has 1 or 2 things they're bad at,  
and besides.....

let's practice in secret and surprised that fellow, Maruyama...Seiji."

"For Seiji-onii-chan.....

my song.....

Un!

I'd like to practice a song!"

"That's the spirit!"

With this and that,

Hilda was taken home by Megumi-chan.

## Chapter 295: A week as escorts

The two people, Hilda and Megumi-chan, went to Megumi-chan's house.

Along the way, they came across a terrible fire that occurred at a location when a sudden heavy rain began to fall and the fire suddenly died down and a kitten, which was almost hit by a car, evaded the collision with a sudden gust of wind.

Nothing happened for the most part and they arrived.

Megumi-chan's house was a considerably huge house.

It fills me with a feeling of wanting to see the inside, nevertheless.....since they said that they will do an intensive **[secret training]** to surprise me after this, I decided to turn off the sound and video of the **[Tracking Beacon]** for awhile.

Well, since the security of the house seems to be reliable, it's currently safe.

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"Well then, I'll be going home now."

It seems Ringo is going home.

"Then, me too, I'll accompany you."

Elena, too, leaves her seat.

"Elena, I'll leave Ringo to you."

"Yes."

In this way, Elena left with Ringo.

Along the way, an old woman, who seemed to have an aching lower back, suddenly became better and a cat, which was walking limply, suddenly ran vigorously.

Nothing happened for the most part and they arrived at the apartment where Ringo lives.

As there was a case where it was damaged by a stalker before, Ringo's apartment was a good apartment where security countermeasure was reliable.

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"Excuse me for the intrusion."

"I'm now going to make tea."

Ringo was going to go to the kitchen to make tea, but was called to a halt by Elena.

"If it's tea, let me be the one to make it."

"Eh? But, Elena is a guest."

"No, I'm Ringo-san's **[maid]** today."

"Maid?"

"That's right. I heard that it's also your examination period, and yet, you're also doing your part at Nancy Jewelry, so it must be hard, right? Since I will do all the housework until the exams is over, Ringo-san, please study hard."

"Thank you, Elena-chan. I will study hard."

Thus, Ringo studies hard while Elena prepares tea in the kitchen.

Alright! The two people are inside the perfectly secured apartment, it's currently safe.

Even though I said that, let me peep a little bit more~.

It doesn't particularly mean that peeping is my hobby, okay!?

"Ringo-san, I've prepared the tea."

"Thank you, Elena-chan."

Elena poured Ringo, who has begun to study, tea.

"It's delicious. Elena-chan is good at making tea, huh."

"Yes, I always help in the kitchen."

"Helping in the kitchen...it's enviable... with Seiji-san..."

"Is something wrong, Ringo-san?"

"No, it's nothing..."

Enviably? Is Ringo-san interested in tea ceremony?

Elena, leaving behind the studying Ringo, went out to the supermarket to shop.

Even so, there isn't any suspicious person that appeared~.

Did we jump ahead a little too far?

Well, it's better than to be forestalled, right?

After that, the people, who recovered from injuries and diseases, suddenly appeared around Elena one after another too and she finished shopping and went back to Ringo's apartment without any problem in particular.

"I'm back!"

"Welcome back, Elena-chan. Thank you, you're even doing the shopping. What are you going to prepare for today?"

"Today's menu is ginger pork~."

"Wow, I like ginger pork very much~!"

It looks somewhat fun~.

I'd like to eat ginger pork, too.....

After dinner, I went out to fetch up the two people and the first day of the escort strategy ended without a hitch.

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Even from the next day, I continued the schedule of sending the two to escort in the morning and fetching them up in the evening and a week passed with nothing happening.

Umu, on the contrary, it's ominous when they continue to do nothing.

It was on Friday when the trouble occurred.

"Hey! Megumi, we were waiting for you."

The two people, Megumi-chan and Hilda, had been surrounded by some people while they were on the way to Megumi-chan's house.

This is bad!

I was in the middle of work, but I left my seat and pretended to go to the restroom, transform myself into ninja form, put on **[Invisibility<sup>1</sup>]** magic and

then, rushed toward the two people's position using [Teleportation].

"What! You guys."

Hm?

**[Vigilance]** magic isn't reacting.

What is happening?

When I looked at them properly, surrounding the two people were young men, who were about the same age as Megumi-chan.

Are they classmates at school?

And then, a person soon steps forward.

"Megumi, please stop playing your half-baked idol make-believe game and go out with me."

"Make-believe game, you said!? Who would do something like going out with you?"

Hey, is he wooing her?

The other party was a guy, who seemed to be weak-headed, under misconception.

"Who would want to go out with me, you said? The fact is that there's a lot of girls, who makes advances at me, you know? Because it's considered an honor."

This fellow is hopeless, he doesn't comply with human conversation.

"Are you stupid?"

"Just come!"

That person was going to grab Megumi-chan's hand, at the moment– "Please don't be rude to Megumi-san."

Hilda stood in the way in front of that fellow.

"What is this person?"

"Hilda, it's no use, that fellow is a dangerous guy, so step back."

"You're called Hilda, huh. Cheeky brat!"

That boy, who seems to be weak-headed, is going to push Hilda.

However, Hilda quickly stopped that fellow slooow attack and grabbed it.

"You sanovabitch, you want to fight back, huh!"

The boy tries to take back the hand that is grabbed by Hilda, but the hand doesn't budge an inch.

"Damn it, this fellow has enormous strength despite her appearance! Let, me, go!"

The boy finally broke free from Hilda's hand, taking many steps backwards.  
Are you scared by Hilda?

"Hey, beat that pipsqueak."

The boy gives an order to a tall man, who is standing at the side.  
He's an underling as expected, huh.

The tall man, about 2m tall, steps forward in front of Hilda.

The height difference between him and Hilda is tremendous; they look like a dwarf and a giant.

"Hilda, it's no use, that person is a black belter in karate! Run away."

When I looked at them carefully, Megumi-chan has been caught by the other men.

Well, because the men, who seized her, are those guys, who seems to be timid, I think they aren't exercising violence, but.....

Should quietly step in and help?

"It's fine, I'm going to save her."

Hilda answered so as if responding to the voice in my mind.

Hilda has probably noticed that I'm nearby.  
Thus, she is saying those words towards me.

1. Previously translated as **transparencification**. Changed it to this as per someone's suggestion.



## Chapter 296: Hilda's way of fighting

Work was over, I went to fetch Elena and Hilda up and went home.

"Welcome home onii-chan, Elena-chan and Hilda-chan!"

""We're home.""

"Aya, you seem to be happy, huh."

"That's because, the exams are finally over!"

"I see, in other words, it's summer vacation, huh."

"Right! Sum~mer va~ca~tion~!!!"

Aya is delighted over summer vacation... are you a grade school student?

"That's why~, take us out to have fun, onii-chan!"

"It's no good because there's still the matter about Nancy and the others."

"S-, Such a thing~..."

"Seiji-sama, what are we going to do about the conquering of the [Tower of sunrise]?"

"Because there's the matter about Nancy and the others, huh~."

"Onii-chan, I want to go to the [Tower of sunrise] too. I'm the only one who remains to be low-leveled."

Hmmm, it's a point that makes me waver.

I can't restore Yurie-san to her previous self if we don't make progress in the conquering of the tower...

(There's no one saying that there's no need for her to return to her previous self, is there? Right?)

Having said that, it'll be troublesome if something came up while we're advancing in conquering of the tower.

"Seiji onii-chan, I'd like to stay and guard Megumi-san."

Somehow or other, Hilda seemed to have been getting along with Megumi-chan a lot.

Alright! It has been decided!

"Hilda will guard Megumi-chan, while Aya will guard Ringo and Elena will guard Nancy and her mom. I'm going to conquer the [Tower of Sunrise] alone."

"Only onii-chan, it's unfai~r."

"You and Ringo are friends, right?"

"T-, That's... that's right, but... leveling up..."

"Such a thing as leveling up, you can do that at anytime, right? Since it's the long-awaited summer vacation, how about you invite Ringo, Mai-san and Yurie-san to go out and have fun somewhere?"

"U~n, that's right, huh. I'll do that."

"Elena will be guarding two people, but prioritize in guarding Nancy than her mom."

"Okay, leave it to me."

"Hilda, practice dancing and singing while guarding her since I'm going to pay for the lesson fees."

"Yes."

"Eh? What? Dancing and singing?"

Aya butted in.

"When Megumi-chan was attacked by bad guys, Hilda drove the bad guys away with her dance ability. Right, Hilda."

"Yes!"

"It's good, huh~.

I'd like to learn dancing, too~."

"When Nancy and the other's safety is guaranteed, we'll learn dancing together."

"Really!?"

"Ah, because you can acquire Dance Skill when taking lessons in dancing, there won't be a loss in acquiring it."

"Seriously? That's good! Hilda-chan, show us your dancing!"

"Y-, Yes."

Hilda nodded bashfully and showed us the [Evasion Dance] that she had just acquired.

By the way, since I set up a barrier blocking the sound on the floor, it won't cause any trouble for the people below the floor.

"Wow, amazing, amazing! Hilda-chan is wonderful!!"

After that, Aya and Elena were taught how to dance by Hilda until dinner was ready.

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On the next day, Saturday, we went off on our own way.

Aya meets up with Mai-san, Yurie-san and Ringo and sees a movie.  
Hilda goes into the lesson with Megumi-chan.  
Elena goes to Nancy's place.

Since Nancy and her mom said that they were going to a [bouldering] gym, Elena went to accompany them, too.

[Bouldering] is a free climbing sport performed without using ropes.  
It seems like it's fun.

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After seeing everyone off, I went to the different world and came to Masamune-san's place at the Demonkind's town.

"Hello~. Is the sword done?"

"Ou, Seiji, it's done."

Masamune-san brought the sword.

"This fellow's name is [Brown Belt Sword]."

I thought the next one to the white belt is black belt, but brown belt, huh~.  
Is it black belt after this?

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| [Brown Belt Sword]

| The sword that has become the proof that the sword art has been approved.  
| Absorbs the user's habit and becomes strong.

| Ability: Raises the power of [wind blade].  
| Raises attack power towards monsters with attribute.  
| Rarity: ★★★★★  
| Trial:  
| Lightning-attributed monster subjugation 0/30  
| Ice-attributed monster subjugation 0/30  
| Darkness-attributed monster subjugation 0/30  
| Light-attributed monster subjugation 0/30  
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Some ability has increased.  
[Raises attack power towards monsters with attribute], huh~.  
Let's try it out later.

The trial seems to be similar when it was still White Belt Sword.  
It becomes Lightning, Ice, Darkness and Light, and the subjugation amount has increased from 10 to 30, too.

Well, if it's this much, I will be able to manage somehow or another.

I thanked Masamune-san and headed off to conquer the Tower of Sunrise.

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Conquering the Tower of Sunrise from the 45<sup>th</sup> floor.

It was a metal-walled-labyrinth-like place and the atmosphere was completely different from the other floors so far.

It completely feels like I'm on board a spaceship.

When I try to touch the wall, a strong, tearing static electricity is generated many times.

The enemy was an extremely strong [Orc].  
Every one of those [Orcs] has hair standing on end, they look like they have evolved into [Super Saiyans], don't they?  
For the time being, let's call them [Super Orcs].

The Brown Belt Sword was frightfully sharp, the [Super Orcs] were chopped up one after another.

I climbed up the tower while checking on everyone's situation once in awhile with [Tracking Beacon], I took a break once I got to the 50<sup>th</sup> floor.

The [Super Orcs] seemed to be [Lightning] attributed and of the Brown Belt Sword's trial, the [Lightning attribute subjugation] was cleared with 30/30.

## Chapter 297: Heading off alone

The black-belter, tall man's big arm swoops down at Hilda.

*Whoosh!*

Hilda succeeded in dodging the attack somehow.

However, the punch seemed to have grazed her and the tip of Hilda's nose becomes slightly red.

"Stoop! Such a thing as raising a hand against a girl, aren't you embarrassed!?"

Megumi-chan's grievous scream echoes in the surrounding.

However, Megumi-chan's scream is also ineffective as the merciless attack of the tall man continues.

*Whoosh! Whoosh!*

Hilda somehow avoids the succeeding continuous attack.

"Stop! Since I will do what you say, don't do something cruel to Hilda....."

Megumi-chan weakly declares that she gives up.

"You should've listen to me obediently from the beginning..."

"No!"

Hilda interrupted the leader's words.

"Megumi-san, I'm fine. Please be more imposing. I like the imposing side of Megumi-san."

"Hilda....."

Hey, Hilda is cool!

However, the leader isn't pleased with it.

"You, you're small, and yet, you're cheeky!

Hey, beat this fellow quickly!"

"O-, Ou."

The tall man, ordered by the leader, unwillingly starts attacking again.

However, Hilda was becoming skilled in dodging and the tall man's attack didn't hit at all.

A short time later, it gradually reached the point where Hilda did a strange dodge.

This fellow, Hilda, what is she doing?

For some reason, she dodges exaggeratedly and makes a wasteful rotation with *spin*.

Hilda gauges the tall man's attack rhythm and she moves rhythmically to match it as well.

Ah, I see.....

This fellow, Hilda, is dancing.

"Hilda....."

It seemed Megumi-chan has noticed it, too.

"Hey, what are you doing!?"

Don't play around!!"

The leader scolds the tall man.

"B-, But....."

Being dodged with *flutter flutter* by Hilda, the tall man's fighting spirit has decreased, too.

The offensive move completely stops.

And now, only Hilda, who was dancing happily, was left.

"Lalala~♪."

What's this!?"

When I turned my head, Megumi-chan started singing to Hilda's dance.

Hearing that singing, Hilda smiles sweetly towards Megumi-chan while dancing.

Megumi-chan smiles back at Hilda while singing, too.

And then, the song and dance of the two people stole away the words and

gazes of the people in the surrounding.

Megumi-chan's song reaches the hook and slowly ends.  
And together with it, Hilda's dance reaches the conclusion as well.

And now, although the song is over, Hilda decided a perfect pose to match it.

""Wa~!!""

*Clap clap clap clap*

Ah!

When I came to, a crowd was formed in the surrounding.

At Megumi-chan's song and Hilda's dance, the passersby and the neighboring people have gathered.

Being surrounded by a large number of people, the boys, who are surrounding Megumi-chan and Hilda until a while ago, have become small.

Megumi-chan and Hilda answered bashfully towards the surrounding people's cheer.

Hilda is amazing.....

She won against those guys without injuring anyone.

I have to fully praise her later.

The boys sneakily escaped so that they won't be noticed by the surrounding people.

Ah, perhaps.....

When I was thinking casually and cast **[Appraisal]** to Hilda..... she acquired a new skill called **[Dance]**.

Seriously! There's such a skill, too!?

The level 1 Dance's skill seems to be **[Evasion Dance]**.

It's enviable! I want it, too!

Will I be able to acquire it too if I take dance lessons?

Megumi-chan and Hilda left the place while answering to the surrounding people's cheer.



Ah, as I was pretending to be in the restroom in the middle of work, I have to come out, too.

I have to come back quickly!

## Chapter 298: Level 60

I reached the the 50<sup>th</sup> floor of the [Tower of Sunrise] with so much effort, thought it should've been commemorated, there wasn't a boss.

Well, there wasn't a reason for having a boss in every 10 floors either, but it became such a motivation...

That reminds me, is this tower really up to 60<sup>th</sup> floor?  
There was someone who said something like that before, "that's right~", the other people said, believing so for some reason, but they probably haven't discovered the 64<sup>th</sup> floor yet, besides, there might be 128 floors.  
If I'm unlucky, it seems like it's also possible that there are 256 floors.

Honestly, sometimes I'm little anxious towards the circumstances of this tower.

It's about the law-like nature of each floor that I've passed so far.

First, from the 5<sup>th</sup> floor to the 12<sup>th</sup> floor.  
Only these 8 stratum were an aquarium and sea-like floors.

And then, from 13<sup>th</sup> floor to the 20<sup>th</sup> floor.  
The [Wind] was blowing in all of these strata.

In the same way, from the 21<sup>st</sup> floor to the 28<sup>th</sup> floor was [Fire].  
From the 29<sup>th</sup> floor to the 36<sup>th</sup> floor was [Darkness], from the 37<sup>th</sup> floor to the 44<sup>th</sup> floor was [Ice] and then from the 45<sup>th</sup> floor was [Lightning].  
With such a feeling, it seems like the atmosphere of the whole stratum is changing every 8 floors.

The 8 kinds of attribute magic—[Wind, Lightning, Water, Ice, Earth, Darkness, Light and Fire].  
With 8 kinds of magic × 8 floors, 64 floors...  
It seems to be like that?

If my estimation is correct, the [Lightning] stratum is up to 52<sup>nd</sup> floor and it

will be a new attribute from the 53<sup>rd</sup> floor.

Since from the 4<sup>th</sup> floor underground to the 4<sup>th</sup> floor above ground is [Earth] attribute, perhaps it's going to be [Light] attribute from the remaining 53<sup>rd</sup> floor to the last?

Well, it's something to discuss about when my estimation was proven to be correct, though.

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While eating lunch, I checked the [Tracking Beacon] attached to everyone.

The 4 people, Aya, Mai-san, Yurie-san and Ringo were watching a movie about love.

For now, there seems to be no danger.

As for Elena...

Her legs were spread wide and she was breathing heavily with pant pant. Immoral!

Well, the three people, with Nancy and her mom, are just climbing a [bouldering] wall, though.

Although it looks hard, but it seems quite fun.

Hilda was singing a song in a karaoke box with Megumi-chan. It probably also serves as a practice for Hilda's singing, but—

the two people, instead of a lunch meal, were eating with great relish a whole bread loaf, the one which seems to be high in calories and has honey, ice cream and the likes as toppings.

Megumi-chan... you took a [Fat-reduction Potion] before, are you overeating because there's a fat prevention effect for a year?

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I finished eating lunch and resumed conquering the tower.

The 51<sup>st</sup>-floor enemy was a grandpa [Super Orc] with a cane and was quite strong.

Well, it's not a threat for the [Brown Belt Sword], which has its sharpness increased, though.

Moreover... although it only took that much to go up from 49<sup>th</sup> to 50<sup>th</sup> floor, my level also rose up by 4 for just a day.  
It's probably because the level of the enemy has increased.

And then, as expected, the atmosphere completely changed from the 53<sup>rd</sup> floor.

"It's so bright!"

That's because the dungeon's wall is shining brightly.  
As expected, it's [Light] attribute on and after the 53<sup>rd</sup> floor, huh.

That day's conquering progresses up to the 55<sup>th</sup> floor.  
On the 53<sup>rd</sup> floor, a shining golem.  
On the 54<sup>th</sup> floor, a gigantic slime.  
On the 55<sup>th</sup> floor, a shining, great bird.

Eventually, my level quickly rose up to 60.

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| Name: Maruyama Seiji

| Job: SE

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| Level: 60

| HP: 6,887

| MP: 16,017

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| Strength: 494 Endurance: 559

| Technique: 853 Magic Power: 1,602

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| Skill:

| Information 5, Space-time 6, Body Reinforcement 5, Recovery 3,

| Wind 5, Lightning 6, Water 5, Ice 5, Earth 6, Darkness 3, Fire 4, Light 4.

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| Body technique 3, Sword Technique 5, Sword Art 5, Short-blade Technique 4,

My Magic Power and MP went up and I can also use 16 beacons now.

After that, my [Body Reinforcement] magic surprisingly became level 5!

The skill that I acquired was [Overall Reinforcement].

It said that, using magic power, it can temporarily increased all stats—an outrageous skill.

Since there seems to be a problem in various ways when used too much, I'll only use it at a critical moment.

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"You're unfair, onii-chan! Level 60!!"

"It can't be helped because the enemies were high-leveled."

"Hmmm, when the first stage is completed, we're going to do [power leveling], isn't that right?!"

"Y-, Yeah."

Well, it's fine.

"By the way, how was everyone's day today?"

"I went out to play together with everybody and it was fun!"

"I see~. Was there a suspicious guy or something like that?"

"Ah, now that you mentioned it, it slipped my mind that they are being targeted!"

In the end, no one seems to have seen a suspicious guy.

Hmmm, it would be great if everyone also has [Vigilance] magic, though~.

## Chapter 299: Something waiting at the top?

On sunday, the next day, we continued to work separately.

I'm going to conquer the Tower of Sunrise.

Since I've already conquered up to 55<sup>th</sup> floor, I may be able to climb up to the top by the end of today.

Aya has gone out to have fun with the three people, Mai-san, Yurie-san and Ringo today as well.

It seems that their destination for today is [Disneyland].

Elena is going to accompany Nancy and her mom to a [Sunday worship].  
The two people seem to be dedicated Christians.

It seems Hilda is going to be with Megumi-chan today as well, but I haven't asked where they are going yet.

There's no movement yet coming from Gold and [Ai-san], who tried to steal information.

Do they have no intention of doing anything?

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When I climbed up the 56<sup>th</sup> floor of the Tower of Sunrise.....

there was suddenly a [Dragon]!

Seriously?!

So there was a [Dragon] in this world, huh!

When the dragon cried with a deep voice, it breathed out fire.

Amazing!

It's sea of flames as far as the eye could see.

Well, I move to a slightly remote position with [Teleportation] and observe the situation, though.

Since its level was also high, would bringing Aya and the others be a right choice?

When I try to observe it carefully, since there's only 1 scale that has different color on its back, I try to quickly stab it with the Brown Belt Sword.

The dragon raised a frightful, scream-like cry and writhed.

It's tenacious, huh~.

I poured [Lightning] onto the Brown Belt Sword, which was stabbed in the scale with different color.

The [Dragon] convulsed with *twitch twitch* and finally stopped moving.

[Your level went up to 61.]

Oh, my level went up by 1.

I got caught up the moment and went around to look for other [Dragons] to kill.

In the end, there were only 3 [Dragons] on this floor together with the first one.

I only killed 3 of them and my level went up to 63.

I obtained 3 bodies of a dragon. I wonder if I will be able to use it for something later?

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On the 57<sup>th</sup> floor, there was a lot of will-o-wisp monsters with [Taiji Diagram]-like pattern of light mixed with darkness; it wasn't so strong as they just madly attacked at random.

Nevertheless, since I defeated quite a lot, my level went up to 64 and of the Brown Belt Sword's trial, the [Darkness-attributed monster subjugation] became cleared with 30/30.

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On the 58<sup>th</sup> floor, a lot of shining, ice-crystal-like monsters attacked.

My level went up to 66 and of the Brown Belt Sword's trial, the [Ice-attributed monster subjugation] became cleared with 30/30.

It's seems like it's going awfully well.

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It's finally the 59<sup>th</sup> floor.  
1 more floor to the top!

The 59<sup>th</sup> floor.....

was just a vast [wasteland].

And then, the sky is filled with black clouds and it looks like it will start raining any time.

However, there isn't any enemy at all.  
What's happening?

*Flash!*

*Bang!*

A lightning suddenly travels away from the black clouds...

that lightning.....

materialized and became an enormous, shining [Dragon].

[How wonderful, a human arrived up here.]

"I-, It taaaaalked!!"

P-, Perhaps, it can grant wishes?  
If it can, I wonder what should I wish~.

Girl's pan...  
No, it's nothing.

[If you can defeat me, you will receive the privilege to meet [that gentleman] at the top. However, I'm not easy to defeat. So, fight with caution.]

Seriously? As expected, the top is on the next floor, huh.

And then, someone is waiting at the top.

When I hardened my resolve and held the Brown Belt Sword, the shining dragon rushed on straight ahead.

"[Barrier!]"

When I spread out a [Barrier] that insulates [Lightning] in front of me, the dragon changed direction in order to spring back up from the [Barrier] and



attacked from above.

"Uh-oh!"

When I dodged with a back step, the dragon slammed into the ground with an unchanged momentum, it burst open and was smashed into pieces.

Hm?

It won't end with this, right?

It seemed to be different.

The shining dragon wasn't smashed into pieces, it seemed to have only split apart and as they were small, each of them moved around at a frightful speed.

So many small dragons form a rank and fly in circles around me, drawing a magnetic-force-line-like pattern; they look for an opportunity and attack individually.

Individually, their offensive ability may be low, but their attribute is obviously [Lightning] and if I received a direct hit, I will be paralyzed and will receive a successive attack in that interval.

So, I can't afford to receive an attack by even one of them.

I attack one of the dragon, which has become small, with the Brown Belt Sword as a test and that one burst open, but it seems to have practically no effect on the dragon as a whole.

*Hmmm*, it's troublesome.

The small dragons, in order to block my escape route, attacked over and over again.

I managed to dodge somehow with [Attack-prediction Sphere] and [Teleportation], but it will get nowhere with this.

"Ah."

It read the transfer point of the [Teleportation] and surrounded my escape path.

Dangerous, I can't dodge this!

"[Summon Toki!]"

Using my trump, [Summon Toki], I stopped the time.

"It seems you're having an extremely tough fight, huh."

I've been rescued by Toki.

For the time being, I surveyed the surroundings after getting away from the situation where I was surrounded by small, shining dragons using [Teleportation].

"There!"

When I surveyed the surroundings carefully, I found out.....

that one of them was a dragon with different color and was slightly bigger than the other ones.

Perhaps, this fellow is the [nucleus].

I swung the Brown Belt Sword down at the [nucleus], but just before the Brown Belt Sword hit the [nucleus], the stopped time was released.

*Slash!*

The dragon's core was split into two.

[Splendid!]

The dragon reverted back to its original dragon form.....

and then, it burst open, turned into light and disappeared.

"I won!"

At the spot where the dragon disappeared, a big [Magic Stone] was dropped.

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- | [Magic Stone of Nuclear Fusion]
- | A magic stone that constantly generates 1GW of electricity.
- | There was a safety device that functions in order for someone acquiring Lightning Magic
- | to never receive an electric shock.
- | Rarity: ★★★★★★
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What on Earth is thisssss?!!!

GW, it said, but what is it?

Is it Golden Week??

However, it's precious, huh.

After just a short time, 1.2GW.....

If so, then De Lorian could pass through time, but.....

What should I use such a thing for?

Building a power plant or something?

For the time being, I kept the [Magic Stone] into the Inventory and finally, I started to walk towards the 60<sup>th</sup> floor.

## Chapter 300: Zealous prayer

Finally, I stepped foot on the stairs towards the 60<sup>th</sup> floor of the Tower of Sunrise.

During that moment-!

The [Vigilance] magic noisily notified me of the [Danger].

Seriously, when it's going to be the top floor after this!

When I checked, the one who fell into [danger] was Elena.

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"Are you alright!?"

Elena is casting Recovery Magic on a wounded person.

Wait-! But Elena, there are people in the surroundings!

*Hmmm*, well, anyhow, I can't tell her [don't help him] when there's a wounded person in front of her.....

It appears that when they were trying to go out of the church, they have been attacked by someone.

Elena and Nancy don't have injury, but there are some people in the surroundings that have been injured.

This stops the conquering of the Tower of Sunrise; I have to go to help them.

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"Elena, are you alright?"

"Seiji-sama..... Hm? Where are you, Seiji-sama?"

"I won't be able to explain it to Nancy and her mom if I suddenly appear. Sorry, but I'll keep hiding my form."

"I understand, Seiji-sama. Thank you very much for coming to help!"

"Elena, who are you speaking with since a little while ago?"

Crap, it's Nancy.

Did she hear us talking?

"Moreover! Elena! What kind of person are you?!!  
An injury rapidly healed, how did you do it!?"

She saw perfectly when Elena used magic, huh.....

"I'll explain it to you later! More than that, let's get everyone to safety."  
"U-, Un..... I understand."

It was an uproar in the church.

Although it's place where these people can be most relieved, they've been attacked by someone and there are injured people, too.

The heck, what kind of fool is attacking?

When I went outside of the church, there were about 20 guys with rifle in hand and were covered with black cloth from head to toe except for their eyes.

This place should be Japan.

What are those out-of-place guys.  
Those guys don't look like they are fighting for oil at all.

[Idiot, watch the other party carefully and attack! The target might have escaped!]

[I know! But you ordered to fire, didn't you?!]

It's a language that I've learned before, [Chinese].

Perhaps, these guys are allies of the mafias we've fought before.

Although I caught so much last time, they came in great numbers again like this.....

Moreover, what's with this situation!?

They're probably trying to impersonate terrorists to hide their true identity.

Involving unrelated people and having Elena and Nancy go through a dangerous experience.

"I will absolutely not forgive you!"

I transformed myself into ninja form and removed the [Invisibility] magic in

front of those guys.

[What's that guy!?]

[It's a ninja!]

[It suddenly appeared!]

[Ah, that fellow! According to the report, it's the person who annihilated the first unit.]

[What!?]

[Warn everyone! It should be strong!]

"Too late."

I moved quickly and grabbed the leader-like guy by the collar.

[Uwaa-! It teleported!]

It's not [Teleportation] just now, but merely an ordinary movement, you know?

[Hey! What's you guys' objective?]

I spoke to the leader-like guy in Chinese.

[Like hell I will tell you, no one's going to tell you!]

*Ratatatat!*

Uwa!

The guys in the surroundings attacked me, including the leader-like guy, without hesitation.

The leader-like guy is shot by his ally's rifle and is in critical condition. He'll probably die if left alone.

[The ninja is not here!]

I sneaked around behind the guy, who spoke, and channeled electric shock on him, making him faint.

[Uwa! What's this fellow!? Can we fight against such a guy!? I'm going to escape!]

In the next moment, the guy, who spoke, fainted with an electric shock as soon as he tried to escape.

[Uwa! A monster!!]

Those guys tried to escape.....

In the next moment, all of them collapsed on the ground.

"Fuu."

I take a breath and look around.

It was a situation where about 20 men, who wore black from head to toe, with rifle were collapsed on the ground unmoving.

"For now, the leader-like guy doesn't seem to be dead."

I approached the leader-like guy, who was shot by his ally. He was bleeding and nearly dead, but just stopping the bleeding will do and he won't die.

"D-, Don't move!!"

When I finished stopping the bleeding, the police came rushing in.

However, in contrast with those 20 guys with rifle in hand, the police's weapon is shabby.....

If I didn't defeat these guys, there would absolutely be a casualty from the police.

When I raised my hands while standing up slowly, the policeman approached slowly, too.

It's bad to be asked about the situation like this.  
Well, let's leave the rest to the police.

I disappeared using [Invisibility] magic.

"I-, It disappeared!?"

Giving the surprised policeman a sidelong glance, I returned to where Elena was.

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"Elena, how's the situation?"

"Seiji-sama, all the injured people have been healed."

Elena speaks with me in a low voice, so that she won't be noticed by other

people.

"Is the outside already safe?"

"Yes, I finished off all of them."

"As expected of Seiji-sama."

I feel relieved with this.

However, the eyes of the church people when they look at Elena.....

from a slightly distant place, the church people were [praying] to Elena.

This place is the church.

Elena healing a wounded person one after another with a mysterious power.

This, she'll be involved in a really troublesome thing.....

"Elena, let's go home for today."

"Eh? Is Nancy-san already okay?"

"Your magic have been seen, there will probably be a problem if you remain here, Elena. Since I beat all the bad guys, it's already safe."

"Alright, if that's the case, I'll say goodbye to Nancy and her mom."

Elena is honest.

"Nancy-san, mama-san, I'm going to go home now. Let's meet again."

"Eh?"

Nancy is surprised.

In front of Nancy and the other people, I took Elena's hand while invisible and—went home using [Teleportation].

""S-, She disappeared.""

When Elena disappeared, the church people began to [pray] more zealously.

"E-, Elena has..... d-, disappeared."

Nancy and her mom stood upright with their mouths wide open.



## Chapter 301: As expected of a ninja

"*Phew.*"

"I'm home!"

I went back home with Elena.

However, it would be a problem.

Magic have been finally seen.

Moreover, we went back home using [Teleportation].

It wasn't possible to come back walking when the police was flocking outside the church, right?

"Sorry, Seiji-sama. Even though you told me that I mustn't use magic in public....."

"Since there were injured people in front of you, it can't be helped."

However, since [Nancy Jewelry] and [Arc•Gold] were on bad terms, it went this far, huh?

The mafia, too, what are they trying to do?

Did they get money from [Arc•Gold] enough to do something like this?

I peeked into the mastermind, [Gold]'s situation using [Tracking Beacon], but..... he was restlessly walking back and forth inside his office; he seemed to be waiting for a message from someone.

*Hmmm*, there seems to be something more to this matter.

When I was thinking about such a thing—

The [Vigilance] magic noisily notified me of the [danger] again.

Who is it this time?

It was Hilda and Megumi-chan this time.

The two people wore sailor suits. (Ehh?)

And then, they are surrounded by baseball club members. (Ehh??) It seems the place is the high school where Megumi-chan goes to.

What kind of situation is this??

As soon as I thought that, [guys wearing black from head to toe] with rifle in hand surrounded the baseball club members.

The members of the baseball club are trying to protect Hilda and Megumi-chan, huh.

"Elena, it seems Hilda is under attack this time. Since I'll go out for a bit, I'll leave the house to you."

"Alright! Be careful."

I left Elena, put the [Invisibility] magic back on and while still in ninja form, I went to where Hilda and Magumi-chan were.

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"Who are you guys!?"

At the location, the [baseball club members] and the guys wearing black from head to toe were glaring at each other in the baseball ground.

"Megumi, Hilda-chan, it's our fault since you've come to cheer for us on our high-school baseball debut, sorry for having you involved into something like this."

Among the baseball club members, a cool-looking boy, who is standing at the very front, apologizes.

He's probably the captain.

But, with those guys carrying guns in front, he's a guy with courage~.

"Hey, you, it's no use to threaten us with that sort of toy guns!"

Ah, does he think that it's a toy?.....

[Fire.]

*Ratatatat!*

The warning shot of a guy wearing black from head to toe explodes a step away from the captain.

"Gyaa-! I-, It's the real thing!?"

The captain moved backward and withdrew to where the other members were.

"Ca-, Captain, w-, w-, w-, what are we going to do?"

"F-, F-, F-, For now, l-, l-, l-, let's call the police."

"U-, U-, U-, Understood. What's the number again ....."dial one-one-zero right away.""

The other members panicked as they understood that the guns are the real thing, too.

However, the mafia guys fired a gun at the high school students without batting an eyelid.....

I don't want to be seen in this form as much as possible, but it's impossible to talk about such a thing either.

I released the [Invisibility] magic and appeared.

"Ah, a ninja!"

[Ah, a ninja!]

Both of them were surprised.

"N-, Ninja!?"

Megumi-chan, too, is surprised at my appearance, she forces her way through the baseball club members and tries to move in front to see my form.

"Megumi, hide in the back because it's dangerous."

The captain stopped Megumi-chan, who was trying to move in front.

"B-, Because, the ninja....."

"Megumi, do you know that ninja?"

"Un, when I was kidnapped before by mafia, he's the person, who helped me...I think."

"I see, then he's an ally!"

The baseball club members regained their composure a little with my appearance.

[That ninja might be the one in the report. Let's finish off that fellow first.]

Those guys wearing black from head to toe seems to have changed their target to me.

That's what I'm thinking, too!

[Fire!]

Ah, it's bad, the baseball club members will be hit by stray bullets if I dodge!

*Ratatatat!*

I cast [Quick] on myself and took out the [Brown Belt Sword] quickly, and the bullets they fired were all cut.

*Drop drop!*

Bullets cut in half were scattered around me.

Well, I didn't simply cut them with a sword, using also the [Earth Magic] and [Barrier] at the same time, I killed the momentum of the bullets.

To the people watching, it would seem that I cut them all with a sword.

[M-, Monster! Cutting bullets with a sword!!]

"The ninja is amaziing!!!"

The guys wearing black from head to toe tremble with fear.

The baseball club members are very excited.

Wait, let's give them a service~.

After moving a little to a spot where I can also be seen by the baseball club members, I performed a seemingly real [hand seal] with my both hands meaningfully.

I made [Fire Pillars] appear around the guys wearing black from head to toe using [Fire Magic].

[Uwaa!! It's a ninja's magic!!]

"Amaziing!!!! It's a ninjutsu!!!!"

The baseball club members are too excited!

Ah,

Did he hear the uproar?

At a slightly remote location, a school teacher can be seen making a call to

somewhere.

Now is the right time, huh.

I performed a [hand seal] that seemed to be even more difficult than just now,  
[Crap, here comes the ninja's magic again!]

"Ninja, keep at it!!"

Toward the guys wearing black from head to toe that were trying to escape,  
*Crackle crackle!!*

I made them eat an extra-large lightning attack.

Well, only its appearance is showy, but since the voltage is lowered, they won't die.

When the intense lightning attack (only in appearance) stopped, the guys wearing black from head to toe received an electric shock and all of them fell down.

"Hooray!! The ninja is strong!!"

While the baseball club members were delighted,

I disappeared.

"The ninja disappeared!!"

"Cool!!"

Well, putting aside the praises of the baseball club members, it's bad if I don't bring Hilda.

I moved to a slightly remote position and made a call to Hilda.

"Hilda, you're not injured?"

"Ah, Seiji-onii-chan, I'm fine. I don't have any injuries."

"Hilda, listen carefully, since it would be bad if you stay in that place, get away from that there one way or another."

"Okay, I understand!"

Now, will she be able to do it?

"Hilda, the phone call, was it from Maruyama?"

"Um, that's right. Since it's bad for me to be here, get away, he said."

"By any chance, did Maruyama know the event that happened just now?"

"Errr....."

"The police would come soon, what would be bad for Hilda?"

"....."

*Hmmm*, did Megumi-chan notice in various ways?

"I understand, I'll do something."

Somehow or other, it seemed Megumi-chan had guessed in various ways.

"I'm sorry, captain-san. We'd like to leave here before the police arrives."

"Hm? I see, since Megumi is an idol, it wouldn't be good if you're involved in a trouble. I understand, we'll do something. Everyone! Megumi wasn't here. Say it!"

""Oooh!!""

Somehow or other, it seems the baseball club members are going to keep it a secret, too.

Hilda and Megumi-chan were seen off by the baseball club members and succeeded in leaving the place.

Both of them, Hilda and Megumi-chan, who took each other's hand and ran away, seemed to be a little happy for some reason.

## Chapter 302: Like a kung fu movie

"Seiji-sama, welcome back. What about Hilda and Megumi-san?"

"Ah, they're fine and no one is injured as well. Right now...it seems she's at Megumi-chan's house."

I replied to Elena while checking the video of the [Tracking Beacon].

"Thanks for your hard work. To encounter such a thing twice in just a day, it was a hard day, wasn't it?"

Wait a moment, just [twice]?

Ah, oh no, I have a bad feeling.....

As expected, the [Vigilance] magic notified me of the [danger] once again.

Naturally, it's Aya.

"What's wrong, Seiji-sama?"

"Aya and the others seem to be under attack, too. I'm off again to save them."

"Seiji-sama, going off so many times like this, are you alright?"

"I'm fine, it's no problem."

Well, I also have a good weapon.

I jumped using [Teleportation] to help Aya and the others.

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"Who are you guys!?"

Mai-san asks the guys wearing black from head to toe.

Next to Mai-san is Aya.

Yurie-san and Ringo are slightly at the back.

It seems like the place is the traffic circle in front of a station.

The people in the surrounding are also surprised and confused at the armed group that suddenly appeared.

"What's that?"

"Isn't it some kind of an attraction?"

Among the people in the surroundings, there's even a guy taking a picture thoughtlessly.

Hey!

Have you not seen the news of terrorism or something like that!?

The common people are too careless!!

As I disappear using [Invisibility], I approach Aya and Mai-san.

"Aya, Mai-san, are you alright?"

"Ah, onii-chan, did you come to help?"

"Onii-san is invisible, huh. What on earth are these guys? Do you know them, onii-san?"

"These guys are probably targeting Ringo. Also, they are dangerous people, who fires a gun without hesitation inside a town. Since I will do something, Mai-san, escape with Aya and the others."

"No way!"

While I was talking with Mai-san,  
Aya interrupted from the side.

"Hey, Aya, it's not time to mess around!"

"Onii-chan, at best you'll turn into a ninja, right?"

"Eh? That's right, so?"

"If you fight in such a form in front of so many people to see, you'll attract needless attention."

"U-, Un."

Shit, even though it's Aya, it's reasonable.  
I can't answer back.

There wasn't any people around at that time in the church and the same goes with the event at the baseball ground, there were only the baseball club members and a teacher in a distant location due to the fact that it's summer vacation.

But here, it's packed with numerous onlookers.

"I understand, then, since I will support you guys while hiding, do your best,



Aya and Mai-san."

"Okay."

"O-, Ou."

Although I said that, I only need to neutralize those fellows' guns.

I approach those guys while still invisible, I blocked all their rifles' barrels using [Metal Control] and [Earth Magic] and went back.

[Hm? Just now, the gun...wasn't there something that changed?]  
[Such a thing doesn't matter, don't be scared and shoot quickly!]  
[O-, Ou!]

The leader-like guy suddenly urged on, three underling-like people stepped forward and readied their rifles.

[Fire!]

Right after the leader's command,  
three sounds of explosion resounds.

[Gyaaa, it hurts!!]

Their guns accidentally discharge and the three underlings writhe due to the injuries on their hands and faces.

[Shit, defective goods, huh... it can't be helped, let's kill them with sword.]  
[[Ou!]]

The remaining guys, who wore black from head to toe, threw their rifles away, pulled out sabers that seemed to have come out of a kung fu movie and took a fighting stance.

"Without their guns, it would be easy to defeat them~."

Aya attacks and Mai-san, too, follows after awhile with a "good grief!"-like expression.

They don't seem to have expected the attack to start from the girls' side, the guys wearing black from head to toe are surprised and puzzled.

The scene was totally like a kung fu movie.

The bad guys come to attack with sabers.

Mai-san and Aya have just narrowly dodged the bad guys' attacks.

Neither the two of them are probably being serious.

If the two of them make a serious effort,  
their movements will become superhuman and it'll become conspicuous.

The two katana-wielding girls continue to dodge the attacks of the nearly 20 bad guys.

The onlookers watching in the surroundings got very excited.

"Go for it, onee-chans~."

Even a small girl is cheering.

Aya, who seem to have been pleased with it, answers back with a wave of a hand toward the girl while fighting.

[Bastard! Lass, don't get cocky!]

The guy, who seem to be the leader of the guys wearing black from head to toe, conceals himself while moving sneakily.

The guy is moving toward the small girl, who cheers for Aya.

Are you saying that you will even take that girl as a hostage?  
Being inhuman has its limit, too.....  
I got pissed off and just exactly as that fellow was trying to attack the girl, I hit him with all my might.

"Ah, ninja...san?"

Crap, the [Invisibility] wore off right after I hit him and I've been discovered by the girl.

Somehow or other, the sun has just set and the effective time of the [Invisibility] seems to have expired.

Since I put the [Night Shade], which is for nighttime use, back on quickly, I seemed to have gotten off with only a girl discovering me.  
What a close call.

After that, with Aya and Mai-san's outstanding performance, the bad guys had been completely beaten and a grand applause broke out from the onlookers,

During the applaud, the police, who finally arrived, stepped forward.

"Uh, can you tell what kind of situation this is?"

"These are the bad guys, we beat them!"

Toward the confused policeman, Aya spoke boastfully.

## Chapter 303: Police Interrogation

I went back home alone.

"Ah, I'm tired~."

"Welcome home, Seiji-sama. How was it?"

Elena greets me.

"Aya and the others are being interrogated by the police. Well, they'll take the last train home."

"Then, that means, the incident was resolved?"

"Yeah, no one should be getting attacked anymore."

"I'm so glad!"

Well, it doesn't mean that the problem is completely solved, though.

That's right, the mastermind, that fellow [Gold], is still free to do whatever he wants.

When I looked into the [Tracking Beacon]'s video that I attached to [Gold], he's still only walking back and forth restlessly, waiting for a message. Haven't you received a message that the terrorism failed?

When I was looking at [Gold]'s situation like this, [Hiyama Ai] entered into the room [Gold] was in in a big hurry.

[What's wrong, Ai, did something happen?]

[I-, It's a disaster. Please look at the news.]

[Hm? The news?]

[Gold] turned on the TV in the room.

"It has become a disaster. After continuously modifying the program's contents, I give you the news flash of Tokyo's synchronized, multiple terrorism incident."

[Terrorism incident...wha-?]

[It's not only that, the Nancy•Jewelry staffs seemed to be involved with this terrorism.]

[What did you say!?]

Huh? That fellow, Gold, is really surprised.

Although he should be the one who requested them, why is he surprised?

Was the mafias action different from what Gold requested?

*Hmmm*, I don't really get it.

"Seiji-sama, I made tea."

"Thank you."

While drinking the tea that Elena made, I decided to look at the others' situation with Elena.

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[As I've said! The three of us—mama, Elena and me went to worship!]

[That person called Elena, where is she?]

[.....s-, she disappeared.]

[I see.....]

Somehow or other, it seems Nancy is being asked about the situation by the police.

[According to the other people, there was..an angel who healed wounds using magic; you're testifying.....that the one called Elena is that angel...is that correct?]

[T-, That's right.....]

[I see.....]

[You don't believe me!? It's true!!]

The policeman looked troubled.

[I think that would be all, Nancy-san, you had a very scary experience today. Excessive stress causes our proper judgement to get out of order. Such a thing is a common topic.]

[B-, But.....]

[Let's think sensibly. On this Earth, a magic that heals wounds, does it exists?]

[No.....]

[Then, a person suddenly disappearing, is there something like that?]  
[.....no.....]

Somehow or other, she seems to be unable to make him believe about Elena and is perplexed.

I'm sorry, Nancy.

[But still-! Elena was there!!!]  
[.....I see, Nancy seems to be quite tired. Let's hear about the story again another day.]  
[Okay.....]

Nancy hang her head low and left the room.

"Seiji-sama, I feel a little sorry for Nancy-san."  
"Well, it can't be helped."

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Mama-san was asked about the story in another room.

[Then, don't you have any idea that you were going to be attacked?]  
[That's impossible!]

[But, the fact is that, not only you and your daughter, Nancy, but the high school where your exclusive model, Megumi-san, goes to and even your exclusive designer, Ringo-san, too had encountered terrorist attack at the same time, you see? I can't think of any reason but you guys, being targeted...]

[Megumi and Ringo are being targeted, too, you said?! Are they both safe!?]  
[Yes, the two of them are safe. Megumi-san wasn't in the high school, which was attacked, and Ringo-san seemed to have been helped by her friends.]  
[I'm glad.....]

Somehow or other, the police seems to have noticed that the Nancy Jewelry is being targeted, too.  
Hmm, what to do?

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"Then, my fist thrust explodes!"  
"I-, I'm sorry..... about the fight's content, leave it out for the time being. The

attack's details among other things....."

"Those sort of things, I don't know."

"I-, Is that right....."

It seems Aya is being asked about the situation, too, but the policewoman listening to her story is cringing at Aya's wildness.

Aya, don't cause trouble for the police!

"The other party had guns, right? Weren't you scared?"

"In that case, 'nii-cha..."

"Nii-cha?"

"It was nothing. Some of the guns seemed to be broken and accidentally discharged, so they threw their guns away midfight."

"So that's what happened, huh. But, the other party had bladed tools, too, right?"

"Dealing with bladed tools is a piece of cake for me!"

If you were going to say that, it's [saisai]!

Are you planning to make a tea-cake with [sichuan pickles] or something?!

"Let me see, as for that person's side..... 19 years old!? It's a lie, right?"

"Oh well, never mind since I've grown accustomed to everyone being surprised about it."

"Ah, forgive my rudeness."

This time, it seems she's going to hear the story from Mai-san, who's in the side.

"Let me see, your strong point is karate among other things."

"Yeah, that's right. I may not look like it, but I've won the championship at the national athletic meet."

"A-, Amazing....."

"Isn't it fine for us to claim "self-defense" for this time's event?"

"Of course, the other party are terrorists with weapons and on the contrary, you might get awarded."

"Awarded!? Perhaps, we're going to receive the [Superintendent General Award] or something like that!?"

Aya interrupted from the side.

"Yes, there's a possibility."

"Whoopee!! Captain, the [Superintendent General Award], she said."

Well, for the time being, it seems Aya and the others haven't become suspicious, so it doesn't seem to be a problem.

Yurie-san and Ringo were being examined at a hospital.

They shouldn't have any injury, but just in case.

Hilda and Megumi-chan were eating dinner happily.

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*Phew*, the issue is settled with this.

I don't have anything to be afraid of anymore with this.....

Hm? Did I say something strange?

At that moment-!

The [Vigilance] magic notified me of the danger once again.

Eh? What's going on?

I should've already helped everyone.....

Who on earth fell into danger!?



## Chapter 304: Ally of justice?

The fourth warning of [Vigilance] magic.

When I checked the [Tracking Beacon] to see what it was.....

It was a scene where a woman was hanging weakly in the air and her feet were swaying with *sway sway*.

What the hell—!!

When I looked around, it was a scene where [Hiyama Ai] was being strangled by [Gold].

[Go-, Gold, -sama..... f-, for, give, m...]

[Because you failed in the beginning! My plan shouldn't have become such a thing!!]

Gold's eyes became bloodshot and he squeezed her neck tight with all his might. Because of the excessive power that he was using, [Ai-san]'s feet rose up.

Crap!!!

I quickly transformed myself into a ninja and rushed there using [Teleportation].

*Bang!*

I give Gold a dropkick.

Gold and Ai-san lost their balance and fell down, and I was able to somehow take them out from strangling-situation.

[*Cough, cough!!*]

[Shit, what the heck are you doing!?!]

*Phew*, it seemed I was able to save Ai-san somehow.

Now, what to do.....

Since the two of them are speaking in Chinese, let's try talking to them in Chinese.

[Hey.]

[Eh? Waaa!! Who are you!!?]

Gold notices me and is surprised like crazy.

[I'm Japanese • Ninjaman, an ally of justice.]

[Y-, You sonnovavitch! It was said that you were the guy who intercepted the mafia! W-, What business do y-, you have with the *me*?]

[I'm an ally of justice, so I always come to eliminate an evil mastermind like you.]

[Shit! I'm not going to be eliminated by the likes of you!]

Gold took out a handgun—

*Bang!*

and suddenly pulled the trigger!!

[Hey, hey! Do you plan to repeat your crimes over and over again?]

[I-, Impossible..... to the dodge the bullet of the handgun.....]

I slowly approach Gold.

[D-, Don't come! You monster!!]

Gold backs off.

Then-!

From the side, there was a fellow who threw herself between us.

[G-, Gold-sama..... p...please...run away.....]

It's Ai-san.

Although you were nearly killed just a moment ago, you're still going to protect him, huh.....

Aren't you still dizzy!?

[Guhahaha!]

Did he become insane or something?

Gold began to roar with laughter.

[Don't come closer if you value this person's life!]

That guy, Gold, took out a knife from his breast pocket and pressed it on Ai-

san's neck.

Jeez, it's reversed.....

[Well, what's the matter, if you're an ally of justice, you wouldn't ignore a hostage's life!]

[I'm telling you..... isn't that woman your ally? Why would I save an enemy's life?]

[T-, That's not it! This person isn't my ally or something like that!]

[G-, Gold-sama.....]

[Well, even if she's not your ally, I don't have any social obligation to save that woman.]

[What did you say?! You're an ally of justice, right!? What do you think of a person's life?!]

[You're one to talk! If I let a bad person get away by saving a hostage's life, the victims will just increase even more, don't you agree? A guy, who doesn't understand such a thing, can't be called an ally of justice.]

[T-, This cannot be.....]

Actually, I know that Gold doesn't have any intention to kill her, you see~. That's why such a bluff works.

Actually, when he takes Ai-san as a hostage, the [Vigilance] magic isn't notifying me of the danger.

What's happening turns out to be the two people's bogus.  
When I ignored it and rapidly advanced.....

Gold pushed Ai-san away and escaped as fast as his legs could carry him.

[Gue!!]

I can't let such a slow-footed guy free.  
After Gold suffered from my electric shock, he fell over flashily as he let out a strange cry and stopped moving.

[You're wasting my time.]

I took down Gold and turned around to face Ai-san's direction.

[Hiii!]

Ai-san seemed to have been paralyzed and couldn't move from the spot.

Hm? Did some tea or something spilled?

Well, whatever.

[Now then, woman. I'll let you choose what will happen to this man from this moment on.]

[M-, Me..... c-, choose?]

[That's right, 1. I will kill this man. 2. You'll report and turn him over to the police. Now then, choose.]

[S-, Such a thing..... I can't do something like betraying Gold-sama.....]

[I see, you chose number one, huh.....]

[T-, That's not it!! Somehow, please let us off!! Since if you do, I'll give my life to you!!]

[I don't need something like your life! This man is the mastermind of the recent synchronized, multiple terrorist attacks; it's impossible for me to let him off!]

[.....I understand..... I-, I will, report...him.]

Ai-san finally made up her mind up to call the police.

"Hello, is this the police? Uh, that, G-, Gold-sama..... is the mastermind of the recent terrorism incident and then, he tried to kill me....."

When Ai-san finished the call, she broke down crying with *waah-waah*.

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Since the police arrived in a few minutes, I disappeared using [Night Shade] and watched how things play out.

"Are you the one who made the report?"

"Yes....."

"Where's the one called Gold?"

"He's collapsed over there."

About several police officers went to where Ai-san pointed at and found Gold, who's collapsed.

"Hey, bring the stretcher!"

"Okay."

Gold was put on the stretcher and was carried away.

"Do you have a moment? It seems you have been strangled, but what happened to that man?"

"That..... a ninja....."

While Ai-san is being cautious towards me, who is invisible, she explains the situation to the police.

"Shit! The ninja again!?"

Huh? Am I being considered an enemy by the police?

Did I act too flashy?

But it can't be helped, right?

After awhile, a female police officer brought over a blanket and approached Ai-san, but.....

Ai-san held out both her hands out in front in an [arrest-me]-pose.

"Hm? Did something happen with your hands?"

"T-, That's not it, I'm Gold-sama's accomplice and cooperated with Gold-sama in various ways....."

When she spoke up to there, Ai-san burst into tears again.

"I understand, I'll listen to your story at the police station."

As such, the female police officer gently wrapped the blanket around Ai-san and led her towards the police car.

Ahh, it's finished, finished!

I'm already at my limit!

My mind and body are really exhausted.....

Let's quickly go back home and have Elena massaged my shoulders or something.

I left the rest to the police and went home quickly.

## Chapter 305: A wealthy socialite's resolve

"Ahh, it's sheer bliss."

"*Giggles*, Seiji-sama!"

I had Elena give me a shoulder massage while watching TV.  
At any rate, it was because I worked non-stop today~.

"Onii-chan, I'm home~."

Destroying the sweet moment between Elena and I, Aya came home.

"Ahh, onii-chan and Elena-chan are flirting!"

"What the heck! I only have her massage my shoulders."

[Coming up next is the follow-up report of the synchronized, multiple terrorism incident.]

"Huh? You're watching the news?"

"Yeah, today's event is being broadcast on the special news program the entire time."

"How did today's anime recording turn out?"

The first thing you worry about is that, huh.

"Since the news is being broadcast all day today, it has probably taken off."

"S-, Such a thing~."

"It's better than wearing an L-shaped *obi*, right?"

"That's right, but....."

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Today's event was reported on the news program repeatedly.

The news' content is as follows:

1. The terrorism happened in 3 places at the same time.
2. Some of the criminals were only injured and as for the common people, there wasn't anyone injured.
3. All criminals were arrested.

Furthermore, on the news, the [mystery] of this time's event was reported repeatedly.

1. The existence of the girl called [Angel], who appeared in the church.
2. The existence of the [ninja], who appeared in the high school.
3. The existence of the two karate girls, who fought against the terrorist group in front of the station.

What the, aren't those only us.....

Since Elena healed the injured people at the church, it seems they've decided to say that there's no injured people.

[To begin with, things like injury being healed by magic is impossible!]

The expert, who went on the news program, raised his voice.

[Perhaps, their strong fear towards the terrorist group becomes stress and they must've seen a hallucination similar to mass hypnotism.]

He's performing considerably well, huh~.

Well, since it's only natural for things like magic to be unbelievable, it can't be helped if they put it in this way.

[Then, what about the ninja?]

[As for the ninja, I think it's probably a hallucination of mass hypnotism, too.]

[The possibility of the terrorist group in the church, too, being defeated by this ninja has been pointed out, but.....]

[You shouldn't say such an absurdity, those 2 places are considerably far from each other. Are you even saying that he used teleportation?]

[I-, I know, right~. It's impossible.]

Well, in fact, that's what happened, though~.

[W-, Well, what about the two karate girls, who fought against the terrorist group in front of the station?]

[With regards to that, since there's a video as a proof, it doesn't seem to be a hallucination.]

There's a video as a proof, huh.

It shouldn't be a strange video, though.

[Uhh, according to the eyewitness report, the two karate girls, who appeared in front of the station.....one was a college student, the other one... was seemingly at least a grade school student.]

*Hmm*, it seems Mai-san will be angry.

[Thinking about it logically, since there's no way a grade school girl can fight against the terrorists, the college student probably fought alone substantially, but it's impossible for me to suddenly believe it.]

[With regards to this, I'll notify you about the follow-up report as soon as the video is available.]

I'm worried.....

"Onii-chan, what to do, I might become a celebrity!"

What [what to do]!

Don't pretend to be troubled while looking glad.

"Even though you told me not to stand out.....aren't you standing out too much!?"

"I'm fine!"

This fellow is hopeless, I have to do something fast.....

On that day, since I was considerably tired, I went to bed early.

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When I was going to the company the next day, I was called by Nancy.

I sent the director a notification and went to Nancy's place.

For sure, she'll ask about Elena~.

I wonder what should I say as an excuse.

[Hey, Seiji, you came.]

[I've come, it was terrible yesterday, wasn't it?]

[It was terrible, alright...that's not it! What on Earth is Elena!?]

[Even if you say that, what do you mean what is she.....]



[You managed to somehow trick the police, but are you going to keep it a secret even to us? Seiji, there's no way you don't know.]

Um, as expected, I can't trick her..... it can't be helped.

[Uhm, Elena can use magic.]

[Magic..... magic, huh~. If it's true, it's a laughable story, but it seems I have no choice but to believe it, huh.]

It was finally exposed.

However, Mama-san nods with *uh-huh*.

There's no way, but did she perhaps know?

[Why aren't you Mama-san surprised, Mama-san ? It's magic, you know? Magic!]

[Because the accessories that Seiji made weren't ordinary. I was convinced about the existence of some strange power.]

I see, she was able to guess to some extent, huh.

[But Seiji, why are you keeping Elena's magic a secret? If there's that power, it's even possible to become very rich.]

[I don't like such a thing, but if Elena personally says she would like to do so, I will help her.]

[Then, I will persuade Elena...]

[Please stop it, Nancy.]

Mama-san stopped Nancy, who was in high spirits.

[What's wrong, Mama!? Why did you stop me?]

[Have you already forgotten about yesterday's event? To become a wealthy socialite, it means she needs to take on that much risk. Whether or not she has the resolution to fight against such risk, it's not something for other people to decide, don't you agree?]

[I understand..... but if mama and I were to get hurt, you'll help us at a cheap price, right?]

[What are you talking about?]

[Eh? It's no good?]

[During that time when you went to Egypt and collapsed, Elena saved you using magic, you know? There's no reason to take money from a friend.]

[Eh!? Is that so? Come to think of it, that time.....I suddenly became well.]

[Somehow or other, it seemed I've been saved by Elena before. Thank you.]

[Say your thanks to Elena.]

[When I meet her next time, I'll thank her again.]

[By the way, mama-san. About this time's matter, was Nancy's Jewelry being targeted? Is it Gold's unjustified resentment through misunderstanding after all?]

[As one would expect of Seiji, you even know about Gold, huh. But I think that Gold isn't the mastermind.]

[Eh?]

Gold isn't the mastermind?

What's going on?

[Gold merely gave money, it seems there's a different mastermind. Since it's an information from the diplomat, who rushed to the police station, it's certainly reliable.]

[A diplomat?]

[Americans have been involved in a terrorism in foreign country, you know? Naturally, the American government will move, too.]

What the, it becomes a serious matter, huh.....

The criminals are Chinese mafia and it seems to have developed into a diplomatic dispute involving Japan, America and China.....

What a bad premonition; a bead of sweat flowed down my forehead.

## Chapter 306: Each One's New Step

I went home after fetching up Hilda, who was staying at Megumi-chan's house, on the way home from work.

「Onii-chan, Hilda-chan, welcome home.」

「Welcome back.」

「We're home.」

「We've been separated for a while, but the four of us have finally gathered. Thank you for your hard work, everyone.」

「No, thank you for your hard work, onii-chan.」

As we think back on the incident that has been resolved, we were finally able to take a breather.

「Come to think of it, onii-chan, what happened to the conquering of the tower of sunrise?」

「Ah, now that you've mentioned it, there was also that one, huh. I was able to conquer up to the 59th floor in the end and there's only the 60th floor left.」

「Eh? Why did you come back when the goal was in front of you? By any chance, is onii-chan the type of person who stops just before the boss in an RPG?」

Well, it's right on the money, but.....

「That's not it, this time's event happened right when I was going to the 60th floor, so I came back home in a hurry.」

「I see. Well then, are we going to go to the 60th floor now?」

「No, let's stop for now. Since there's probably a boss, there's no time as I'm worn out with work. Let's go on Saturday with all preparations ready.」

「Understood, well then, it's the Tower of Sunrise's boss fight on Saturday, huh.」

Even as the plans on Saturday were decided, the four of us ate dinner together.

However, while eating dinner, Elena's countenance is a little strange.

She seems somewhat down and lost in thought.....

When we were drinking tea after the meal, I decided to ask Elena.

「Elena, you seem to be down, is something wrong?」

「No, um.....Seiji-sama, I have something to say.」

「What is it? You don't need to stand on ceremony.」

It's rare for Elena to bring up a subject like this.

「I learned about it at the church, but in this world, there seem to be a lot of people suffering from injuries and diseases. Because of that, I've been thinking. Can't I help healing those people using my magic?」

*Hmmm*, it's a good thing that Elena is suggesting something she'd like to do independently.

However, there are various problems with this.....

「Elena, you know that magic doesn't exist in this world, right?」

「Yes.」

「It would cause an uproar if Elena uses magic in public just like this time. I don't want to cause too much uproar if possible.」

「B-, But.....」

I understand Elena's feelings as even I would like to do something. However.....

「Onii-chan, too, keeps acting violently in ninja form, right?」

Aya butted into the conversation.

「As for that, it can't be helped because it was to solve the incident. Besides, it's fine since I covered my face with a mask.」

「Then, isn't it fine for Elena-chan to use magic if she wears a mask, too!?」  
「Are you stupid? No one would believe a suspicious guy wearing a mask to do something like healing wounds and diseases for them, you know?」

「If a mask is no good, wouldn't an *omen* mask be fine?」

「*Omen* mask?

What kind?」

「Ah, wait a minute.」

Aya took out an *omen* mask from her [Storage Bracelet].

「How about this?」

It was a Nezumi-Mouse *omen* mask.

「You're going to make Elena wear this?」

「Is it no good? I think it's cute, though.」

*Whoohoo*, it is I, Nezumi-Mouse!

I will heal your injuries and diseases using recovery magic~!

*Oops*, I imagined something strange.

「Ah, I also have something similar.」

Elena, too, took out something from her [Storage Bracelet].

「It's this.」

Elena wore the thing she had taken out and showed it to me.

It's that.

It's something like a masquerade mask.

However, it has something like a feather decoration; it looks very elegant and suits Elena.

Elena, who wore that mask, looks just like a [masked magical girl] or some such.

「It's good! Onii-chan, this is fine, right? Right?」

「Seiji-sama, is this fine?」

*Mmmm*, what to do.....

「I'll give you one condition.」

「Condition?」

「Elena, you should acquire [Invisibility] magic. Then, I'll say that it's OK.」

「[Invisibility]? Alright, I'll do my best to acquire it!」

If she were able to learn [Invisibility], she will be able to escape safely when push comes to shove.

It's only limited during the day, but since Elena can't acquire [Darkness Magic], it can't be helped.

Now, how is she going to go about it.....

「What about you, Hilda? Are you going to help Elena?」

「No, uhh.....」

There are times when even Hilda would like to do something, huh?

「Hilda, by any chance, would you like to continue helping Megumi-chan?」

「Yes! I'd like to help Megumi-chan.」

They've already become close friends.

There seems to be no problem with regards to this.

「Alright, it's fine.」

「Thank you very much!」

「And then, Hilda will become an idol, too!」

「Hilda, do your best.」

「Yes!!」

Elena and Hilda have found something they'd like to do, huh.  
It's a good thing.

「Aya, do you also have something you'd like to do?」

「Eh? Me?」

You don't have!?

「Let me see, we will be having a tournament as a club activity this time, but can I go?」

「Hm? Tournament? What kind?」

「It's a karate club so, of course, it's a karate tournament.」

Karate tournament?

Aya is going to participate?

.....Ugh, my head.....

「You're not going!!!」

「Why not!?!」

# Chapter 307: Invisible Elena

The next day, Elena started her practice of [Invisibility] magic.

Since I have work, I can't help her with her practice.

Hilda, too, went to Megumi-chan's place.

Aya, who's staying at home, helps Elena with her practice.

"Elena-chan, do your best!"

"Yes."

Elena channels her magic and.....

"Elena-chan, stop! Stop! Your clothes have become transparent!"

What!!?

I hurriedly tried to check the video, but due to the [Privacy Policy], the video was cut off and became sound only.....

This is bad, if the magic failed at a critical moment, the result will become unrecoverable.

As expected, I can't leave it to the likes of Aya.

I will help her practice carefully when I get back.

The video remained disconnected even after that, Aya can be heard shouting something like "the upper-body!" and "the lower-body this time!" I wasn't able to concentrate on the remaining work.



"Ah, Seiji-sama, welcome back."

When I finished work and went home, Elena greeted me.

Elena, what-!

a [bare-midriff-look] that was.

What an er...outrageous appearance you have!



When I took a look at it carefully, only around the waist part of her usual clothes has become [transparent].

I see, it becomes like that when you were practicing [invisibility], huh.

However, if I were to let her know that her navel is showing here, the navel..... that's not it, even though she's practicing really, really hard, she might stop.

When I was hesitating on what to do, "Is there something wrong, Seiji-sama?"

Elena, seemingly worried, look on my face.

Ah, Elena's navel is so close.....

*Creak!*

Aya came out of the bathroom.

"Ah, onii-chan, welcome back."

"I'm back."

"I was diligently practicing [invisibility] with Elena-chan just now, ah, Elena-chan! Your navel is showing!"

"Eh? Kyaaa!!"

Elena was so embarrassed that she sat down.

"Seiji-sama, why didn't you say something!"

"No, I'm sorry."

"*Pouts*, I'm so embarrassed that I'd like to disappear....."

The moment Elena said "I'm so embarrassed,"  
she really disappeared.

""Eh!?"""

"E-, Elena-chan? W-, Where are you?"

Aya and I looked for Elena, but she's nowhere to be found.

"Eh? What's wrong with the two of you?"

"*Uwa!*"

From the spot where Elena was a moment ago, only Elena's voice is heard.

"Elena-chan, are you there?"

Aya tried to reach out towards the direction where the voice was heard with a grope.

"Elena-chan, you're here!"

"Aya-san, what's wrong?"

"There's nothing wrong! Elena-chan, the [invisibility] has succeeded!"

"Eh!?"

She's invisible so I can't see it, but Elena seems to be confirming if she really does invisible.

"I did it! With this, I can go to help the people in trouble!"

Elena is overjoyed.....probably.

I can't see it, though.

And then, something invisible and soft clung to me.

"It's Seiji-sama's assistance!"

The invisible Elena hugged me in great joy.

I stroked the overjoyed Elena, who's still invisible, on her head.

It feels somewhat strange.



While having tea to calm down for a moment, I started the conversation.

"With that, who do you plan to treat, Elena? The rich people, who have lots of money? Or else, politicians or someone like that?"

"About that, I talked about it with Aya-san and came up with something."

When Elena said so, she held out a piece of printed-out paper.

Uhhh, what is it, what is it?

[A magnitude 7.8 major earthquake occurred in Nepal. 8, 000 people dead and 14, 000 injured.]

"You're saying you'd like to go to Nepal and volunteer?"

Aya and Elena nodded with *uh-huh*.

I thought she was going to make money with recovery magic, but it was different, huh.

When I try to think about it, Elena has no reason to do such a thing.

"But how do you plan to go there?"

"Can't go there with onii-chan's [Teleportation]?"

When I tried to check the map, I'm able to go to the neighboring country, India.

It's because Nancy dropped by at that country during her round-the-world trip before.

It's too far, though, even the nearest among the places that we could go to head towards Nepal is 1, 000 km away.

Even moving at the speed of sound, it's a distance that would take about an hour.

After searching for an airplane going to Nepal on-site, we would be able to go there if I put a [Tracking Beacon] on someone boarding it, right?

Considering the time difference, it's around evening in India right now, huh. Let's go there for a bit and check if there's an airplane going there.

"Wait here for a moment since I'll check if we would be able to go there."

I flew towards New Delhi in India.

First, I acquired [Hindi], which is the local language and checked whether there's an airplane going to Nepal at the airport, then I put a [Tracking Beacon] on someone who was just about to board the plane and went back home immediately.

"It seems that we will be able to go there. I put a [Tracking Beacon] on someone heading to Nepal."

"As one would expect of onii-chan."

"Seiji-sama, thank you very much."

"Then, I will go together with her tomorrow, too."

"You're going, too, Aya?"

"Isn't it better than Elena being alone?"

I'm more anxious with that than Elena being alone.

"Is Hilda-chan going to stay overnight at Megumi-chan's house today as well?  
Don't we have to invite Hilda-chan?"

"As for Hilda, I'll contact her."

With this and that, Aya and Elena are suddenly going to Nepal.

With work, I can't move that much during the day, is it going to be alright?

# Chapter 308: The Magical Girl And The Female Ninja

The next morning, after sending Elena and Aya to Nepal with [Teleportation], I went to the company.

As for Hilda, since she was staying at Megumi-chan's place, she told me that she'll pass this time.

Now then, is it going to be alright with just the two of them?

I'll fully monitor their situation while working.



First, Elena and Aya acquired [Nepali], which is the local language, with [Temporary Language Acquisition Magic Stone +2], and then asked a passer-by for directions and went to the refugee camp.

However, the two of them weren't able to meet an injured person. Strange foreign girls suddenly coming and saying things such as wanting to meet the injured people, it's impossible for them to trust the two.

"What are we going to do, Elena?"

"I'd like to meet them in person to use recovery magic, but there's no way."

"Then, are you going to give up and go back?"

"No."

Elena went to a location hidden from the public eye, she then transformed herself into a magical girl using the [Transformation Ring], took the [Rod of Aesculapius] out of her [Storage Bracelet], and then took a fighting stance.

"Oh, Elena-chan, you're doing that, huh! Then, just in case, put on that mask as well."

"Alright."

Elena, after putting the masquerade-like mask on, slowly channeled her magic power.

Invoking the [Divine Protection Of The Recovery Spirit], a gentle pink-colored light spreads out with Elena as the center, enveloping the whole town.

"What's this light!?"

"The light is spreading out from over there."

"What is it!", the surrounding people, who noticed it, started making an uproar.

Isn't this bad?

Elena is unable to move while she's still using the magic.

"Everyone! This way!"

A citizen found Elena and shouted.

When they heard that voice, all the citizens gather.

Elena was finally surrounded.

Crap.

I was going to pretend to be going to the restroom and go to help, but..... the situation is somehow strange.

The people, who were crowding around her, knelt on the spot and started praying.

When Elena smiled sweetly at those people, the [Divine Protection Of The Recovery Spirit]'s light spread out even more, becoming one-level stronger.

A short time later, the staggering number of the people praying completely filled the space around Elena.

This, what is she going to do?

However, Elena wasn't embarrassed, she approached the people praying and stopped in front of a woman, who had an injured face.

When Elena brought the [Rod of Aesculapius] near that woman, the Recovery Magic's light envelops the woman and the injury on that woman's face healed completely.

The surrounding people started praying even more fervently and it became out of control.

Even so, Elena didn't stop and an injured person, whom she noticed, was being healed one after the other.

As for Aya, when I tried to see what she's doing.....

She changed into an appearance of a pink ninja for some reason and was going around applying [Recovery Magic] on the people with non-serious diseases.

Why pink, and why ninja?

Somehow or other, as the level of Aya's Recovery Magic rises, the likes of non-serious injuries, too, are being healed on the way.

Almost all the injuries and diseases are healed, and since the gathered people continue to pray around the two, it's impossible for them to sneak out of the place.

"I'd like to get out quietly, but..... it's troublesome."

"At such a time, are you going to summon that!?"

Aya hold the pendant she wore around her neck high up and shouted.

"Nii-chaan • Comee!"

What kind of parody is this?

Well, I understood that she wants me to come.

I pretended to be going to the restroom and put on [Invisibility], I then rushed towards the two people with [Teleportation].

"Don't call me in the midst of work."

I spoke to the two people in a low voice while still invisible.

"Seiji-sama, I'm sorry to trouble you at such a busy time."

"Now then, onii-chan, take us to a safe place!"

Don't [take us!] me!

Good grief.



I sent the two people home.

"Hm? We're back home?"

"It's already enough for today. Do it again tomorrow."

"Alright."

It's distressful, I can't even work quietly.

I immediately went back to the company.



Since that day, Aya and Elena went to Nepal everyday and kept casting Recovery Magic at various places.

And then, Friday night.

The [Divine Protection Of The Recovery Spirit] was spread out across five places and covered a considerably large area.

At the actual place, it seems to have become a talk about a goddess and a ninja are wandering around healing injured people at various places.

They'll go home after they finished today's on-site activity; Hilda was the first one to return home and looked after the house.

"I'm home, Hilda."

"Welcome back."

I finished having dinner with the four people after a long time, I was refreshed when I drank tea and had a talk with Elena and Aya.

"Elena, Aya, let's stop the activity in Nepal for now. If it continues as it is, unrelated people, who might get the wind of it, will come."

"Yes.""Well, it can't be helped, huh~."

The two people, too, seem to understand somehow and obediently listened.

Well, a considerable number of injured and sick people had been healed, it's a fairly good outcome.

"Elena-chan, where should we go next?"

Where should we go next!!?

"Leaving that aside, we're going to go to the 60th floor of The Tower of Sunrise on Saturday."

"Ah, that's right!"



Aya, did you forget?

"Hilda, too, come here on Saturday."

"Yes."

"Boss fight, huh~. I'm itching to put my skills to use~."